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TO THE SUBSCRIBERS

In starting the thirtieth volume, we pause to "take stock" and to make a few comments. First of all, we wish to thank the subscribers who have made the continuance of this undertaking possible by their steady support. Gradually over the years the subscription list has increased, but it still shows less than 300 subscribers.

The magazine is solely dependent upon subscriptions (plus the occasional sale of back issues), for although professional subscribers are given the privilege of listing on the back cover, we have never accepted any paid advertising.

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EDWARD KETCHAM OF CAMBRIDGE, CO. CAMBRIDGE, AND
ELSEWHERE IN ENGLAND, LATER OF IPSWICH, MASS.,
SOUTHOLD, L.I., AND STRATFORD, CONN.

By John Insley Coddington, of Washington, D. C.

It has been known for some time that Edward¹ Ketcham (Cacham, Catcham, Catchman, Cecham, Cetchman, Chattham, Kecham, Ketham; in later generations also Ketchem and Ketchum), the New England settler, lived for a time in the famous university town of Cambridge, co. Cambridge, England. The record of his first marriage to Mary Hall at the Church of St. Andrew the Great in Cambridge on 22 Aug. 1619 was printed in W. P. W. Phillimore's Cambridgeshire Marriages, vol. 5, p. 6, and was noticed prior to 1938 by Dr. Herbert F. Seversmith, who in that year told "Amiko" (James Morton) about it, and the latter printed an interesting article on the Ketcham family in the genealogical columns of the Boston Evening Transcript, Note 3136, which appeared on 4 May, 11 May, 6 July, 27 July and 16 Nov. 1940, and 29 March and 12 April 1941. The marriage of Edward Ketcham and Mary Hall was dealt with in part 3 of the note, in the Transcript for 6 July 1940, part iii, p. 5.

Attention should be drawn to the fact, however, that although Edward Ketcham lived in Cambridge at least from 1619 to 1628, he was almost certainly not born in that town or in the county of Cambridge. Searches have been made for his baptism in the Parish Registers of the various churches in Cambridge, but it has not been found, nor have any records been found in these Registers of any Ketchams (with variant spellings) other than Edward and his children. Moreover, there are no wills or administrations of any members of this family to be found in the Episcopal Consistory Court of Ely, the Archdeaconry Court of Ely, or the Court of the Chancellor of the University of Cambridge, and these probate records cover all of Cambridgeshire, save for those individuals whose wills or administrations appear in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, and in that Court there is likewise no record of any Ketchams. Furthermore, there is no mention of any Ketcham in the Lay Subsidies of the county of Cambridge for the first half of the seventeenth century.

It seems certain, therefore, that Edward¹ Ketcham was a sojourner at Cambridge, that he was born and raised in some other part of England, came to Cambridge at some time prior to his marriage in 1619, and moved elsewhere in England after the baptism of his last recorded child in Cambridge in 1628. He seems to have owned no real property in Cambridge, and the fact that he moved from parish to parish during his stay there

supports the idea that he was a wanderer by nature.

"Amiko," in the cited article in the Transcript, 4 May 1940, p. 5, shows that persons bearing names with some variant spellings of the name Ketcham lived in the parishes of Horton, Folkestone and Postlinge, co. Kent, between the 15th. and the 17th. centuries. Attention should also be drawn to the will of William Cetchman, of St. Mary Matfellow alias Whitechappell, co. Middlesex, proved in P.C.C. (98 Lewyn) in 1598. The present writer has not examined this will and has made no attempt to trace Edward Ketcham either in Kent or in Middlesex.

The following references to Edward¹ Ketcham have been found in the Parish Registers of Cambridge, co. Cambridge:

(1) Marriage Records of the Church of St. Andrew the Great (printed in Phillimore, Cambridgeshire Marriages, vol. 5):

1619 Edward Ketcham & Mary Hall, 22 August.

(2) Bishop's Transcripts of the Parish Registers of St. Andrew the Great:

1620 Mary Ketcham the dau: of Edward Ketcham was baptised the 7th. day of May.

1622 John Ketcham son of Edward Ketcham was baptised Sept. 8th.

(3) Bishop's Transcripts of Holy Trinity Church:

1626 Hester Chattcham dau: of Edward, baptised 10 April.

(4) Parish Register (printed) of St. Michael's Church (Cambridge Antiquarian Society Publications, vol. 25, p. 7):

1628 Ann Cetham dau: of Edward Ketham, baptised 19 October.

The Registers or Transcripts of all the other parish churches of Cambridge were examined for the compiler in the hope of finding more children of Edward¹ Ketcham, but the search was unsuccessful. Apparently there was no child between John in 1622 and Hester in 1626, although there may have been a miscarriage or stillbirth which was not recorded. Since the examination of the Registers covered the years to 1635, when Edward is said to have emigrated to New England, it can only be concluded that he and his family left Cambridge after Ann's baptism in October 1628 and moved to some other town or village in England, where the remainder of the children of Edward's first marriage were born. There is an unsubstantiated tradition that Edward Ketcham

lived for a time at Ipswich, co. Suffolk, and sailed from that town for New England, where he settled in Ipswich, Mass. This is possible, but it remains to be verified.

Brief pedigrees of Edward Ketcham and his family are in Donald Lines Jacobus, History and Genealogy of the Families of Old Fairfield, Connecticut, vol. 1 (1930), p. 359, and in Mary Lovering Holman and Winifred Lovering Holman, Ancestry of Colonel John Harrington Stevens and his wife Frances Helen Miller, compiled for Helen Pendleton (Winston) Pillsbury (1949), p. 511, and in both these works an abstract of the much defaced will of Edward¹ Ketcham is given. In this will, the testator mentioned his [second] wife Sarah, son John, and daughters Mary, Hannah and Hester. Other children may have been, and doubtless were, named in the part of the will which is not now decipherable. Since the name Ann was frequently converted to Hannah by Puritans, the four children whose names can still be read in the will are the same four children (Mary, John, Hester and Ann) whose baptismal records were found at Cambridge.

Dr. Herbert F. Seversmith, who descends three times from Edward¹ Ketcham, expects to devote a section of his great work, Colonial Families of Long Island, New York and Connecticut, Being the Ancestry and Kindred of Herbert Furman Seversmith, to the Ketcham family. He will trace the activities of Edward¹ Ketcham from his arrival in Ipswich, Mass., to his death at Stratford, Conn., in 1655, and will set forth several generations of his descendants.

ADDENDUM: THE HALL FAMILY OF CAMBRIDGE, CO. CAMBRIDGE

An effort has been made to find the baptism and parentage of Mary Hall, first wife of Edward¹ Ketcham. Although the results of this search have been inconclusive, it is well to set forth what has been found.

The early Parish Registers of the Church of St. Andrew the Great at Cambridge are lost, and the Bishop's Transcripts do not begin until 1600. Mary Hall's baptism does not occur after that date, and no record of the baptism of a Mary Hall of the appropriate age was found in the other Parish Registers of Cambridge.

In addition to the marriage of Mary Hall to Edward Ketcham in 1619, two Hall baptisms, one burial, and two other marriages were found in the Transcripts of St. Andrew the Great in the period 1600-1630:

1602 Ann Hall baptised, 17 October.

1613 Mr. Raphe Hall & Mary Sharp married, 14 August.

- 1616 James Hall son of Christopher Hall was Chr: 7
July.
1617 Raphe Hall buried the tenth of October.
1626 John Hals & Sarah Ruggle, married by licence,
12 June.

It should be noticed that the marriage record of Edward Ketcham and Mary Hall, 22 Aug. 1619, does not state that Mary Hall was a widow, and it was customary for widows to be so designated in records of remarriage. Yet this was not invariably the case, so it is possible that Mary Hall was Mary (Sharp) Hall, who married Mr. Raphe Hall on 14 Aug. 1613, and who became a widow by his death in 1617. Mr. Robert Gordon Hamshaw, of Downham Market, Norfolk, England, kindly examined the Sharp wills in the Episcopal Consistory Court of Ely, the Archdeaonry Court of Ely, and the Court of the Chancellor of the University of Cambridge, and he found no Sharp testators who mentioned any Halls or Ketchams.

Mr. Hamshaw did find the will of Ralph [Raphe] Hall of Cambridge, scrivener, dated 15 July 12 James I [i.e. 1614], proved in the Archdeaonry Court of Ely 20 Oct. 1617. The testator desired to be buried in the Church of St. Andrew the Great in Cambridge. He bequeathed to his son Arthur Hall all his song books, lute books and virginal books, and his Bible, also the book of Mr. Parkyns, the first and second part of The Christian Welfare by Mr. Downname, the Lives of the Holy Saints, the Abridged Statutes of Mr. Poulton, Civil Conversion by Mr. Quazzo, The Wars of the Jews by Josephus, the History of Hannibal, and many other items. He bequeathed to his wife (but without naming her) his patterns of Arms and Draw Works, the cushion with Mr. Fisher's Arms thereon in gold and silver, one gold ring and one little round frame gilded, both with the Fishers' Arms thereon, and "The Queens Majesties' Picture late that was Elizabeth." Also the Arms of England gilded and the Lord St. John his Arms [etc., etc.]. He further bequeathed to his wife "all the books on which her name with my diagram is written upon," and all other books he bequeathed to his daughter Martha. He bequeathed to his son John [an illegible sum of] money, and he devised to his wife the rent of his two cottages beyond Emanuel College near to Middletown, towards the bringing up of his son Ralph. Lastly he bequeathed 20s. to the poor of the parishes of St. Andrew's, St. Mary's, and St. Edward in Cambridge. The children Arthur, Martha and John appear to have been of full age, and only the son Ralph a minor, but even he was not recorded as the son of Mary (Sharp) Hall, who was evidently Ralph Hall's second wife.

Mr. Hamshaw also found a Hall will which may pertain to the family in which we are interested. This is the will of Elizabeth Hall of Cambridge, widow, dated 6 March 1607 [1607/8]. To be buried in the Church of All Hallows in Cambridge. To the poor of All Hallows, 10s. and to the poor of Wall's Lane in Trinity Parish, 10s. To my son John Hall and his heirs forever, the tenement wherein I now dwell and the other one which Mr. Peter Bellwyn now dwells in. I give to my son Richard Hall 40s. of lawful English money to be paid within one year after my decease. To my son Richard's wife, one trencher silver salt. To Mary the daughter of my son Richard Hall, 40s., to be paid to her upon the day of her marriage. To my son Matthew Hall, £10. To the eldest son of my son Matthew Hall, a silver spoon. To my son James Hall, £15. To my daughter Meldred wife of Mr. Herne, the house in which Sidney Bennet, tailor, dwelleth, together with all implements thereunto belonging. To the eldest son of my daughter Meldred, one silver spoon. I make John Hall my son my sole executor. Witnesses: Richard Hall, Edward Persenall, Wm. Bosse. (Signed) Elizabeth Hall her mark. Proved, Archdeacons of Ely, 31 March 1608.

It will be seen from the foregoing that the identity of Mary Hall, the first wife of Edward¹ Ketcham, whom he married at the Church of St. Andrew the Great in Cambridge on 22 Aug. 1619, is still undetermined. She may have been Mary (Sharp) Hall, widow of the Ralph or Raphe Hall who was buried at St. Andrew the Great on 10 Oct. 1617, but she may also have been a spinster at the time of her marriage to Ketcham, and she could have been the Mary, daughter of Richard Hall and granddaughter of Elizabeth Hall, widow, the testatrix of 1607/8.

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TUTTLE, PANTRY, JUDSON, HURD
AN IMPORTANT CORRECTION

By Donald Lines Jacobus, New Haven, Conn.

The acute Savage, in his Genealogical Dictionary of New England, vol. 4 (1862), p. 479, states that Thomas Welles [Jr.] of Hartford, Conn., "m. 23 June 1654, Hannah, wid. of John Pantry of the same, d. of Richard Tuttle of Boston, as I think"; also, that Hannah died 9 Aug. 1683. Under Pantry, he had stated that Hannah was probably daughter of Richard Tuttle.

In 1883 George Frederick Tuttle published Descendants of William and Elizabeth Tuttle, and therein identified Hannah the wife of John Pantry and Thomas Welles as daughter of William Tuttle of New Haven, Conn. This identification has since been generally accepted. Mary Kingsbury Talcott in the Memorial History of Hartford County (1886), vol. 1, p. 254, stated that John Pantry "m. Hannah, dau. of William and Elizabeth Tuttle, of New Haven; d. in 1653....His widow m. (2) June 23, 1654, Thomas Welles, son of Gov. Welles; d. Aug. 9, 1683, ae. 50."

It is true that in 1915 Frank Farnsworth Starr, in Goodwin-Morgan Ancestral Lines, vol. 2, p. 318, struck a cautious note. He wrote: "The writer of this sketch has examined the records at Hartford and New Haven without finding any reference to the maiden name of the wife of John Pantry. The name of William Tuttle, however, appears as a witness to the agreement for the division of the estate of William Pantry [father of John]....which was signed at Milford. Possibly William Tuttle was a witness in the interest of his supposed son-in-law John Pantry."

The present writer in his youth, when collecting the data eventually published (1922-1932) in the New Haven Genealogical Magazine [see 8:1881], accepted the conclusion of Mr. Tuttle that Mrs. Hannah Pantry-Welles was the daughter of William Tuttle of New Haven, and made no later study of this specific question when compiling Hale, House and Related Families (1952), where an article on the Tuttle family, including the English origin, appears in pages 770-775. The following points would seem to favor that conclusion:

1. Mr. Tuttle had made an intensive study of many of the New Haven families, and an extensive study of the Tuttle families including the other Tuttle families of New England, hence his conclusion regarding the identity of Hannah was not lightly to be dismissed.

2. The death of Mrs. Hannah Pantry-Welles in 1683 aged 50 is said to be from her tombstone. That agrees with the age of William Tuttle's daughter "Ann," stated

as 2 1/4 in the shipping list in 1635. The age of Richard Tuttle's daughter "Anna" in the same list was stated as 12 years, making her born about 1623, hence some ten years older than Mrs. Pantry-Welles was supposed to be.

3. The marriage of William Tuttle's daughter Elizabeth to Richard Edwards of Hartford is easy to understand if her older sister was then living in Hartford as Mrs. Welles.

4. Of Hannah's Pantry children, the son John married Abigail Mix, while the daughter Mary married Nathaniel Mix, children of Thomas Mix of New Haven. That again would be easy to understand if the Pantry children had numerous Tuttle uncles and aunts in New Haven to visit.

5. It seemed a little more likely that William Tuttle was present and acted as a witness in connection with William Pantry's estate if his daughter rather than a niece was the wife of John Pantry.

6. A descendant of Mrs. Hannah Pantry-Welles was able to obtain the baptismal record of William Tuttle's daughter "Anne" in England on 20 Jan. 1632/3, confirming her age in the shipping list, and use of the chart prepared for this descendant by the College of Arms was kindly permitted in Hale, House and Related Families, above referred to; and on this chart Hannah wife of Thomas Welles of Hartford is identified as daughter of William Tuttle.

Despite the strong case which can be made out for Mr. Tuttle's conclusion, now so generally accepted, it is wrong. Hannah the wife of John Pantry and Thomas Welles of Hartford was daughter of Richard Tuttle of Boston. Ann or Anna the daughter of William Tuttle of New Haven married first, Joshua Judson of Stratford, and second, John Hurd "Jr." of Stratford and Woodbury, Conn., by both of whom she left issue.

In reaching these conclusions, the writer wishes to thank Joseph M. Kellogg, Esq., of Lawrence, Kansas, and Clarence A. Torrey, Esq., of Boston, Mass., for helpful items, and also to acknowledge the use of two or three records obtained from Woodbury records in the course of a search made by the writer on behalf of Eugene Diven Buchanan, Esq., of Highland Park, Illinois.

Charles H. Pope in Pioneers of Massachusetts (1900), p. 466, in his account of Richard Tuttle of Boston stated: "His dau. Hannah was adm. chh. 25 (10) 1647: dism. 8 (5) 1649, to chh. of Hartford, now wife of one John Pantry." Apparently Mr. Pope was quoting from the First Church records of Boston, and if so, these records make it quite certain that it was Richard's daughter Hannah (Anna) who married John Pantry and later

Thomas Welles, Jr. It is quite surprising that Mr. Starr [op. cit.] in discussing the question fifteen years after Pope's work appeared felt so uncertain as to the identity of John Pantry's wife and even cited an item which might be construed as favorable to the claim that she was daughter of William Tuttle. Clearly we must conclude that her stone erred or was misread in calling her aged 50 at her death in 1683, for being the daughter of Richard Tuttle she was about 60.

This would leave William Tuttle's daughter Anne or Anna without a history, but fortunately several record items brought together for consideration establish her history and we conclude that it is fully proved.

Anne's brother Benjamin Tuttle was executed for the slaying of his sister Sarah. The Connecticut Archives contain documents relating to this affair in the categories "Private Controversies" and "Crimes and Misdemeanors." Among them is a letter written in 1678 by the unhappy mother who, at the age of 68, sitting in the big chair before the fire, had seen her son kill his sister with an axe. In the letter, in connection with the property of her son Benjamin, she tells of the distribution of her husband's estate and of Benjamin's portion, and then speaks of a debt due her from her son John Hurd of Stratford. In the inventory of her own estate (1684) is mentioned "a rug not entered their sister Herd had" and "another rug Symon had." What daughter could Mrs. Elizabeth Tuttle have had, sister to Simon and the other Tuttle children, who married John Hurd?

Only Anne is available. There were two John Hurds in Stratford. The elder, probably as a childless widower, married 1 Dec. 1662 Sarah Thompson, who survived his death (4 Feb. 1681/2) and remarried. His nephew, John Hurd "Jr.," married 10 Dec. 1662 Ann, widow of Joshua Judson. By Judson she had three children, two sons whose births in 1658 and 1660 are on record, and a daughter, presumably older than the sons and born about 1656 since she married about 1676. The marriage of Joshua Judson to his wife Ann must therefore be surmised as having occurred about 1654-5. That accords well with the baptism of William Tuttle's daughter Anne in England in 1633. The youngest Hurd child was born in 1673, when Anne Tuttle was 40 years old. Hence both the name and age admit of the identification of Anne Tuttle with the wife (successively) of Joshua Judson and John Hurd "Jr."

The final proof is in the Woodbury Land Records. The Hurds had six children born and recorded in Stratford. One of these was Benjamin in 1666/7, another was Ebenezer in 1668. On 29 Apr. 1688, John Hurd and his wife were admitted to the Woodbury Church from Strat-

ford. John Hurd conveyed 23 Mar. 1686/7 to his sons Joseph and Benjamin, they to maintain John and his wife for seven years [Woodbury Deeds, 1:100]. He died before 20 Dec. 1690, when an agreement respecting his estate was made by Anna Hurd "Widdow," and the four [surviving] children, Joseph, Benjamin, Ebenezer and Sarah Hurd [ib., 4:12].

In a recording of the lands of Benjamin Hurd in Woodbury [ib., 1:46], we read, "Benj Hurd by way of exchange with his uncle Nathaniel Tuttle hath 3 1/5 acresin two parcells....layd out 11 May 1696." Also [ib., 1:49], "12 of 10 M^o. 1698. Ebenezer Hurd by.... exchange with uncle Nathaniel Tuttle hath purchased 3 acres of wood division....as also such a part of his sd uncles land next northward from what he purchased of benjamin and Ebenezer Hurd." Then, in a listing of Tuttle's land, we find [ib., 1:57, 58] "M^r. Nathaniel Tuttle by way of exchange with his Couzen Benj Hurd," and "M^r. Nathaniel Tuttle by way of exchange with his Couzen Eben^r Hurd hath purchased 3 1/2 acres" etc.

Nathaniel Tuttle (1652/3-1721) of Woodbury is known as the youngest of the twelve children of William and Elizabeth Tuttle. Since his mother called John Hurd of Stratford her "son"; since he and his brothers and sisters had a "sister Herd"; since John and Anna Hurd of Stratford and Woodbury had sons Benjamin and Ebenezer; and since Nathaniel Tuttle was uncle of Benjamin and Ebenezer Hurd; it is proved that Nathaniel's sister Anne Tuttle was the wife of John Hurd.

The descendants of John Pantry and Thomas Welles Jr. must therefore be removed from the genealogy of the William Tuttle family, and placed as descendants of Richard and Anne (Taylor) Tuttle. To offset the loss, the astronomical number of William Tuttle's descendants must now be increased to include: the Perrys of Stratford, Oxford and Woodbury stemming from Ann Judson and her husband Arthur Perry; the family of Samuel Judson (1660-1725/6) of Stratford; the numerous Hurds of Woodbury, Conn., and Sandgate, Vt., descending from Joseph Hurd (1665/6-1751) and Benjamin Hurd (1666/7-1754), chiefly from the latter who had seven sons and one daughter, all married; and the Hurds of Killingworth, Conn., the progeny of Ebenezer Hurd (b. 1668). Ann Tuttle's other Judson child, Joshua, died young, as did also her last two Hurd children, Ruth and John; and her eldest Hurd child, Sarah, born 10 Dec. 1664, died unmarried at Woodbury, 13 Jan. 1722/3.

It should be observed by those interested in the Hurd family that printed accounts are inaccurate, incomplete, and not to be relied upon.

SAMUEL KING FAMILY
OF PLYMOUTH, PLYMPTON AND HALIFAX, MASS.

By Mrs. John E. Barclay, Whitman, Mass.

William King and Judith Cogan were married April 13, 1618 (Register of St. Mary Magdalen, Taunton, co. Somerset, England, printed in Phillimore's Somersetshire Marriages, vol. 9, p. 31). William King died within a year, and five years later his widow married again as follows: Judith King and Giles Richard, Jan. 7, 1623 (Register of West Hatch, co. Somerset, *ibid.*, vol. 3, p. 2). We can identify them as the Giles Rickard and Judith later of Plymouth Colony. By her first husband, Judith had a son, Samuel King, probably their only child; by her second husband, she had several children, all undoubtedly born in England in the Somersetshire vicinity indicated above. We find the second husband's surname spelled variously as Richard, Ricard, Rickard, and Rickett.

The date is not known when Giles Rickard, his wife and family arrived in Plymouth, but October 4, 1637, he received a grant of seven acres "to lay his house in Plymouth" [Plymouth Co. Rec. 1:70]. It is assumed that Samuel King came at the same time.

Samuel King was born in 1619, for he must have been twenty-one when he purchased 22 acres of land at High Cliff, Plymouth, of Richard Derby, September 24, 1639 [Plymouth Col. Deeds, 1:47]. February 27, 1639/40, we find "Samuel King is granted permission to plant his land bought of Mr. Derby and to build a house upon it but to live with his father-in-law, Giles Rickett [Plymouth Co. Records, II:139]. Hitherto it has been supposed that Samuel King married a daughter of Giles Rickard, but the above marriages show that he was a stepson.

He is listed August 1643 among "those able to bear arms" along with his stepfather, Giles Rickard, Sr., and his half-brothers, Giles Jr. and John Rickard.

No record of marriage has been found, nor does the name of his wife appear in any of the vital records, church records or deeds. Indirectly, however, we learn that he married, before 1647, Anne Finney, daughter of the "widow Finney" (who died April 22, 1650, Plymouth Co. Rec.), and thus she was a sister of John and Robert Finney and Catherine Fallowell, wife of Gabriel.

Gabriel Fallowell in his will dated Oct. 14, 1667 [Plymouth Col. Rec. II, part 2, p. 47], mentions his wife Katherine and brother Robert Finney. His widow Catherine Fallowell in her will dated 29 March 1673 among other bequests gave to "sister Anne Kinge and after her decease to her daughter Hannah May cozen Sam-

uel Kinge, Joseph Kinge and Isaac Kinge."

Plymouth Church Records (p. 201) give under the year 1704, "Samuel King Sen^r Aged upwards of 90 years, dyed Augst." His age, as often happens in early records, was overstated. Actually, he was 85 or 86.

He received several small grants in Plymouth and vicinity and by January 30, 1667, 50 acres in Plympton, now Halifax, along Monponsett Pond. Later we find his eldest son Joseph living on this grant.

Samuel King had at least four children, possibly more, but we find very few dates for them. In some cases we find a birth record but no marriage record or vice versa, and no birth records at all for Joseph's children have come to light, but their marriages will be found in Plympton where Joseph was residing at the time, and it is assumed these children belonged to him because Samuel continued to live in Plymouth and Isaac had no issue.

1. Joseph² King, b. 1647-8, Plymouth; d. Oct. 30, 1736, in 88th year [Halifax V.R., p. 1]; m. Jan. 15, 1689/90 [Mayflower Descendant, 13:205] Elizabeth Bryant. She was b. Oct. 17, 1665 [Plymouth Col. Rec.], daughter of Stephen and Abigail (Shaw) Bryant. Five children.

2. Samuel² King, b. Aug. 29, 1649, Plymouth [Mayflower Descendant, 16:120]; d. (no record found, nor any record of estate); probably m. about 1669-70 Sarah³ Dunham, b. Apr. 10, 1650 [Mayflower Descendant, 16:235], the daughter of Samuel² Dunham by his wife Martha (Beal) Fallowell, who was widow of William² Fallowell (Gabriell) and a daughter of John Beal of Hingham. Jonathan³ Fallowell, half-brother of Sarah Dunham, in his will [Plymouth Col. 3, pt. 2, p. 45] bequeathed to brother Samuel, also his sister Sarah King (meaning Samuel King and wife Sarah).

3. Isaac² King, b. Oct. 24, 1651 [Plymouth Col. Mayflower Descendant, 16:237]; d. Aug. 8, 1728 aged 77 [Plympton V.R.]; m. Aug. 13, 1689 [Plymouth Rec., Mayflower Descendant, 13:205] Mehitable Bryant, probably a daughter of Stephen¹ and Abigail Bryant; she d. Feb. 4, 1724, aged about 52 [Plympton V.R.]. Isaac's will [Plymouth Probate, 5:398, 485-7] indicates that he left no issue.

4. Hannah² King, b. about 1653; m. before 1673 Edward May. Not much has been found in the records relating to Edward May and his wife, but Dec. 13, 1670, at a Town Meeting (Plymouth), "Edward May was granted 20 acres at Monponsett....adjoining and lying on the north side of land of Samuel King Sr." He probably d. in 1691 leaving a son Israel and possibly a daughter Charity.

William King of Hingham and Sarah (King) Lobdell have sometimes been considered to belong to Samuel¹ King, but the writer can find no proof, and since they were both born before the will of Catherine Fallowell mentioned above and are not named in it, it seems very doubtful that they were children of Samuel¹ King.

William King, born about 1655, married July 11, 1678, Deborah Prince in Hingham, Mass. She was born Aug. 23, 1657, daughter of John Prince. A daughter Deborah was born at Hingham, May 18, 1679. Nothing further has been found on this family.

The Lobdell Genealogy (1907), by Julia H. Lobdell, p. 356, states that Isaac³ Lobdell, son of Isaac², born June 28, 1657, married Sarah King, daughter of Samuel King of Plymouth; that she was born 31 Jan. 1666 and died 27 March 1697. A daughter was born to them 13 Feb. 1680 and died soon; three more children were recorded in Plymouth, and a son Ebenezer was baptized in Hull, Nov. 1, 1694.

Apparently the writer of the Lobdell Genealogy has confused the records of Samuel King of Plymouth and Samuel King of Weymouth as given in Savage's Genealogical Dictionary, one following the other so closely as to appear almost as one family. The Sarah King who was born 31 Jan. 1666 was daughter of Samuel King of Weymouth [Weymouth V.R.], and it seems highly improbable that she married Isaac³ Lobdell, since she would have been only 13 or 14 years old when her first child was born Feb. 13, 1680.

Since there is no proof that Samuel King of Plymouth had a daughter Sarah (not being named in the Fallowell will), we must look elsewhere for Sarah wife of Isaac Lobdell. We find that Isaac² King in his will [Plymouth Probate, 5:485] dated Dec. 29, 1727, bequeathed to "my kinsman Samuel Churchill" a certain tract of land and "to my kinsman Ebenezer Lobdell the place where I now dwell."

In tracing Samuel Churchill and Ebenezer Lobdell, we find the relationship to both was probably through Isaac King's wife and goes back to the Bryant family. Among the daughters of Stephen¹ Bryant and his wife Abigail Shaw are the following:

Sarah² Bryant, b. Nov. 28, 1659; probably m. Isaac³ Lobdell; son Ebenezer⁴ Lobdell b. Nov. 1, 1694.

Lydia² Bryant, b. Oct. 23, 1662; m. Jan. 17, 1683, William² Churchill; son Samuel³ Churchill b. Apr. 15, 1688.

Elizabeth² Bryant, b. Oct. 17, 1665; m. Jan. 15, 1689/90, Joseph² King, brother of Isaac².

Mehitable² Bryant, b. about 1672 (age at death); m. Isaac² King and they had no issue.

Thus, Samuel Churchill and Ebenezer Lobdell would both be nephews of Isaac King's wife Mehitable. No record was found of Sarah Bryant's marriage to anyone else, nor of her death as Sarah Bryant; and her marriage to Isaac³ Lobdell seems strongly indicated by the relationships mentioned in the records cited. Search was also made of probate records for Stephen Bryant for further evidence, but nothing was found.

FROM A GENEALOGIST'S NOTEBOOK

VI. BENJAMIN TIBBETTS OF CANTERBURY, CONN.

By Kendall P. Hayward, B.A., East Hartford

An article on the Tibbetts family appeared recently in the New England Hist. and Gen. Register, Vol. 98, pp. 57-66, 133-136, etc. Apparently Benjamin Tibbetts of Canterbury, Conn., was not of this family. Yet according to this article, Jeremiah² Tibbetts had a son Benjamin³, concerning whom little data was available; and this Benjamin³ had a brother Samuel³ who named a daughter Esther⁴ and who had another daughter, Martha⁴, who married about 1719 Lieut. William Chamberlain. It will be noted below that Benjamin Tibbetts of Canterbury, Conn., had a daughter Esther who married William Chamberlain. Although the Canterbury Benjamin came from Rhode Island, there seems to be no likely place for him to fit into the Rhode Island family of Tibbetts and the items mentioned above might point to the Dover, N.H., family of the Register article.

Canterbury Land Records [1:95] give a deed dated 15 March 1710 from Benjamin Tibbetts of Canterbury selling land which he purchased of Rowland Jones 4 May 1705. He was called "Benjamin Tibbetts, then of Narragansett, now of Canterbury." Other land records call Benjamin Tibbetts of Kingston and South Kingston, Rhode Island.

This Benjamin Tibbetts died in Canterbury 10 Aug. 1713. The original inventory of his estate is dated 8 March 1714/15; and at the end of the inventory the statement is made that "as near as the distributors could determine, the ages of the children were: Elisabeth, in her 17th year, Mary 14, Esther - 11 last Christmas, Mercy - 9, Hannah - about 7 last Christmas, and Martha - 6 since last fall."

Benjamin Tibbetts married Elizabeth ———, who survived him, and was living in Canterbury as a widow at least until Feb. 1734.

The children were:

- i. Elizabeth, b. prob. Rhode Island ca. 1697; m. Canterbury, 23 Dec. 1718, Tryall Baker, who d. there 12 Oct. 1776. Had five children recorded at Canterbury including: Elijah Baker, bapt. 3 Sept. 1727, and removed to Pawlet, Vt.; and Abigail Baker, bapt. 26 Nov. 1735, and m. 12 Nov. 1761, Gideon Bingham.
- ii. Mary, b. prob. Rhode Island ca. 1700; d. Canterbury 22 Sept. 1787 ae. 88 (g.s.); m. (1) 15 Feb. 1734, James Delop; m. (2) Capt. James Skinner.
- iii. Esther, b. ca. Dec. 1703; bapt. Canterbury, Aug. 1721; m. William Chamberlain of Billerica, Mass. Three Chamberlain children recorded at Billerica: 1-John, b. 15 Mar. 1729/30; 2-William, b. 13 Mar. 1731/2; and 3-Esther, b. 18 Sept. 1734.
- iv. Mercy, b. ca. 1705; no further data.
- v. Hannah, b. Canterbury ca. Dec. 1707; m. Warwick, R.I., 4 Feb. 1730/1, Benjamin Nichols. One child recorded Warwick, R.I.: Mercy Nichols, b. 11 Dec. 1733.
- vi. Martha, b. Canterbury ca. Sept. 1709; m. Hartford, Conn., 18 Mar. 1730, Thomas Pellett, Jr., b. Concord, Mass., 24 Jan. 1704/5, son of Thomas and Phyllis Pellett. Two children were: Phyllis Pellett, b. Hartford, Conn., 8 Mar. 1731; and Patience, b. 8 Oct. 1736, bapt. East Hartford Cong. Church, 26 Feb. 1738.

See Canterbury Land Records, Vol. 4, pp. 44, 174, 175. On 13 Mar. 1730/1, William Chamberlain and Esther of Billerica, Benjamin Nichols and Hannah of Warwick, R.I., and Thomas Pellett and Martha of Hartford, Conn., sold land of honoured father, Benjamin Tibbetts of Canterbury, deceased, to Tryall Baker.

VII. THE SEVEN DAUGHTERS OF SIMON BRYANT

By Kendall P. Hayward, B.A., East Hartford

Larned's History of Windham County, vol. 1, page 168, serves as a good introduction to Simon Bryant, stating: "[A farm]...with about 300 acres of land - was sold to Simon Bryant of Braintree for 224 pounds, who to his other valuable possessions added seven blooming and capable daughters. (1710)" Following this somewhat enigmatic statement, we find that Simon Bryant, husbandman, purchased 79 acres of land from Richard Evans, Joyner, in Killingly, 1 Feb. 1712/13 [Killingly Land Records, 1:69a]. The Learned Genealogy (1898) is the only published work in which we have found data on any of the daughters of Simon Bryant. Even the most obvious source for data, the probate records of his estate, fail to tell the whole story. Only after searching land, cemetery, probate and vital records of Killingly, and correcting errors in genealogies of allied families, can a fairly complete account of the daughters be given.

1. Simon Bryant, born about December, 1663, died at Killingly, Conn., 28 Sept. 1748, aged 84 years 9 months (gravestone); married at Braintree, Mass., 28 Dec. 1694, Hannah Spear, born at Braintree, Mass., 6 Sept. 1671, died at Killingly, Conn., 28 Dec. 1747 in her 76th year (gravestone), daughter of George Spear and Mary Heath.

Children:

1. Deborah, b. Braintree, Mass., 2 Apr. 1695; d. Killingly, Conn., prior to 1749; m. as first wife, Nathaniel Brown, b. Reading, Mass., 22 Apr. 1688, d. Killingly, abt. June 1757, son of John Brown. He m. (2) at Thomason Church, 14 Dec. 1749, Mrs. Hannah Fowle. Children (Brown):
 1. Bethiah, bapt. Killingly 1st Church, 13 Nov. 1715; m. int. Dudley, Mass., 23 Dec. 1732, Samuel Hall.
 2. Sarah, bapt. 13 Nov. 1715; m. Sutton, Mass., 13 Aug. 1742, Beriah Curtis of New Sherborn, Mass.
 3. Bryant, bapt. 27 Jan. 1717; d. Thompson, Conn., 4 Mar. 1784; m. Hepzibah Chandler, b. Pomfret, Conn., 12 Aug. 1720, d. Thompson, 19 June 1810 ae. 90 (g.s.), dau. of Joseph Chandler and Susanna Perrin.
 4. Mary, bapt. 5 Apr. 1719; m. Thompson, Conn., 20 Nov. 1739, Israel Joslin, Jr., b. Killingly, 30 Sept. 1719, son of Israel Joslin and Sarah Bailey.
 5. Zerviah, bapt. 12 Feb. 1721; unrm. by 1757.
 6. Stephen, bapt. 16 May 1725; m. Killingly Church 17 Oct. 1748, Mary Lyon.
 7. Hannah, bapt. 16 June 1727; m. (1) Thompson, 23 Dec. 1744, John Jeffery of Pomfret; m. (2) Thompson, 26 Dec. 1754, Paul Torrey.
 8. Mehitable, b. 14 Feb. 1729/30; m. Thompson, 6 June 1747, Joseph Pudney of Dudley, Mass.
 9. Deborah, b. 9 Sept. 1732; m. Thomas Lamb of Pomfret.
 10. Nathaniel, b. 1 Mar. 1734/5; m. int. Douglas, Mass., 12 Mar. 1757, Abia Leonard (?Larned).
 11. John, b. 8 June 1738; living 1757.
 12. Elijah, b. 10 Sept. 1742; living 1757.
11. Hannah, b. Braintree, Mass., 1 Sept. 1697; d. Killingly, Conn., 12 Apr. 1781 in her 85th yr. (g.s.); m. (1) Killingly 1st Church, (24) Nov. 1715, William Learned, b. Sherborn, Mass., 12 Feb. 1688, d. Killingly, 11 June 1747 ae. 39 yrs. 4 mos. (g.s.), son of Isaac³ Learned and Sarah Bigelow; m. (2) Thompson Church, 17 Dec. 1755, Joseph Leavens, b. Roxbury, Mass., 15 Nov. 1683, d. Killingly, 5 Nov. 1773, son of John Leavens and 2nd wife Elizabeth Preston. See Learned Family (1898), by William L. Learned, pp. 24-26, 40.

- iii. Mary, b. Braintree, Mass., 19 Sept. 1701; d. Killingly, Conn., Sept. 1761 ae. about 60; m. abt. 1720, John Winter, Jr., bapt. Lexington, Mass., 12 Sept. 1698, d. Killingly, 15 Aug. 1757 ae. 60, son of Ensign John Winter. Children (Winter):
 1. Patience, bapt. Killingly 1st Church, 23 July 1721; d. there 28 July 1735.
 2. Daniel, bapt. 6 Oct. 1723; m. Killingly, 5 Dec. 1754, Mehitable Warner of Pomfret.
 3. Rhoda, bapt. 6 Mar. 1726; d. 14 June 1736.
 4. Asa, bapt. 16 June 1728; d. 21 Apr. 1735.
 5. Simon, b. 14 Sept. 1730; d. Canaan, Conn., abt. 1757; m. Sarah —, and had one son, Joel alias Sim(e)on, b. Canaan 26 Sept. 1755 (see American Genealogist, 10:171).
 6. Mary, b. 8 Feb. 1732/3; m. Killingly 1st Church 27 Apr. 1758, Samuel Bloss, Jr.
 7. Mehitable, b. 8 Feb. 1732/3; d. 18 Jan. 1760.
 8. John, b. 1 May 1737; m. Dec. 1761, Mary Robinson.
 9. Hannah, b. 4 Aug. 1739; prob. d. young.
 10. Hannah, b. 26 Feb. 1742/3; m. 3 Jan. 1763, Seth Green, Jr., b. 4 May 1736, son of Seth Green and Dorothy F(a)irman.
 11. Asa, b. 26 Feb. 1742/3; living 1763.
- iv. Katherine, b. Braintree, Mass., 2 July 1704; m. Killingly 1st Church, 15 Feb. 1723, Nathaniel Blanchard, b. Charlestown, Mass., 1 Oct. 1697, son of George³ and Sarah (Bassett) Blanchard. For information on their twelve children, see Detroit Society Magazine, Vol. 13, Dec. 1949, pp. 57, 58.
- v. Lydia, b. probably in Braintree abt. 1706-7; d. Framingham, Mass., 23 Oct. 1774; m. Killingly 1st Church, Dec. 1725, Moses Learned, b. Sherborn, Mass., 29 Apr. 1699, d. Framingham, 25 May 1769, son of Isaac³ and Sarah (Bigelow) Learned. See Learned Family, p. 48.
- vi. Mehitable, b. Killingly abt. Sept. 1712; bapt. 23 Oct. 1715; d. Killingly, 25 Nov. 1729 ae. 17 yrs. 2 mos. (g.s.).
- vii. Sarah, b. Killingly, Sept. 1715; bapt. 23 Oct. 1715; d. Killingly, 27 Jan. 1747/8 ae. 32 yrs. 4 mos. (g.s.); m. as his first wife, abt. 1731, Michael Adams, b. Medfield, Mass., 1 Mar. 1706/7, d. Thompson, Conn., 26 Aug. 1776, son of John³ Adams and Michal Bloice. Michael Adams m. (2) 24 Mar. 1748, Sarah Abbe. For data on their seven children, see Descendants of Henry Adams, pp. 315, 319, 320. This work states that Michael Adams m. (1) Sarah Shuttleworth, but a deed from Simon Bryant to his Adams grandchildren (Killingly Land Records, 5:116-119) proves that they were the children of Michael by marriage to Sarah Bryant.

ERRATA AND ADDENDA

SCATE-SKEATH. Vol. 29, p. 88. Joseph Scate, b. 9 June 1668, m. Hannah Davis on 18 Apr. 1692, not 1690.

—Mrs. John E. Barclay, Whitman, Mass.

Vol. 29, p. 88. Mrs. Barclay in her article on the Scate-Skeath family states that she found no further records for John Skeath's daughters Mary, b. 22 Mar. 1676, and Joanna, b. 24 Aug. 1681. I would like to contribute the following information:

Mary² Skeath m. (1) Boston, Mass., 11 June 1702, Richard Mortimore; m. (2) Boston, 21 July 1709, James Hill; m. (3) Boston, 31 Aug. 1724, John Adams (shipwright). She d. Boston, 16 Aug. 1745, aged 69, and was buried in Copps Hill.

Joanna² Skeath m. (1) Boston, 9 Jan. 1704, John Barnett; m. (2) Boston, 21 June 1708, William Sentall or Sentell; m. (3) Boston, 29 July 1731, Isaac³ Adams, son of Nathaniel² (Nathaniel¹) and Mary (Purmot) Adams. On 3 June 1746, Joanna Adams, widow of Isaac, sold to Stephen Stodder common lands in Hingham, granted to John Skeath [Suffolk Registry, 72:61].

—Frederick W. Wead, Boston, Mass.

NORTON. Vol. 15, p. 196. It was not Elizabeth Norton, bapt. 7 Aug. 1653, who m. 10 Mar. 1674 John Wainwright, this Elizabeth being daughter of George Norton. In Vol. 16, p. 111, it is mentioned that Elizabeth daughter of William and Lucy (Downing) Norton married John Wainwright. That is correct; evidence will be seen in New England Hist. and Gen. Register, 13:230, in the will of William Norton and Mrs. Anne Bradstreet there cited.

—Marian B. Rowe, Portland, Maine

SMITH of LYME. Vol. 25, p. 143. To the list of children of James⁴ Smith (Henry³) and Elizabeth Way, add Henry⁵, b. Bolton, Conn., 15 June 1729. This James Smith then resided in Bolton, for "James Smith of Lyme, now residing in Bolton," is mentioned in a transaction dated 11 July 1728 [Coventry Land Records, 2:33].

Kendall P. Hayward, East Hartford, Conn.

Vol. 25, p. 143. Regarding the Richard Smith son of Mary Lee to whom Richard Smith [No. 2, 1] bequeathed his dwelling house, the late W. Herbert Wood found in New London County Court Records [14:177] that Mary Lee of Lyme was before the Court 24 Nov. 1724, her surety being Tho^s Lee of Lyme, and the father of her child was specified as Rich^d Smith of Lyme. This gives us 1724 as the year of the younger Richard's birth (he first married in 1745), and clearly indicates that he was son of the older Richard who remembered him in his will.

SMITH of JAMAICA. Vol. 25, p. 75. The wife of Samuel² Smith [No. 10] was daughter of Matthew and Alice (———)(Bouton) Marvin. Page 80: Ebenezer⁴ Smith [No. 86] was born ca. 1712; the transcript of his gravestone inscription which we followed was inaccurate; he died 11 Dec. 1735 in his 24th [not 34th] year.

SMITH of MILFORD [John "ye smith"]. Page 92. Elizabeth⁴ Smith [No. 11] m. Jonas Blackman, b. ca. 1733, d. at Bethlehem, Conn., 23 Apr. 1806 ae. 73, son of Ebenezer and Mehitabel (Adams) Blackman. She was b. ca. 1737 and d. at Bethlehem, 15 May 1808 ae. 71.

Her brother John⁴ Smith [No. 13] is believed to be the Capt. John Smith of Milford, Roxbury (1799)-1800), and Litchfield, Conn., who d. at Litchfield 15 Feb. 1807 in 69th yr. (g.s.), hence b. ca. 1738; he m. Mary — who m. (2) at Roxbury, 14 May 1810, Enos Baldwin of Washington, Conn., and d. there 9 Apr. 1818 ae. 77 (g.s.), hence b. ca. 1741. They are supposed to have had eight children, some of whom probably were (only Sarah and Nathan considered proved):

- i. John⁵, b. [say 1760]; res. Washington, Conn.; m. Abigail Lambert, b. 22 Mar. 1759, d. 18 Jan. 1836; parents of Sen. Perry Smith.
- ii. Sarah, b. 3 Dec. 176[3]; d. 20 Apr. 1837 ae. 73 (g.s., Roxbury); m. at Milford, 23 Sept. 1784, Maj. Richard Treat.
- iii. Nathan, b. ca. 1768; d. at Roxbury, 18 Feb. 1841 ae. 72 (g.s.); m. at Roxbury, 29 Feb. 1812, Mary or Polly McGraw, b. ca. 1779, d. 30 Sept. 1823 ae. 44 (g.s.).
- iv. Isaac, b. 9 July 1771; d. at Scio, Mich., 18 Sept. 1840 ae. 69; m. at Milford, 10 Sept. 1792, Phebe Platt, b. at Milford, 26 Jan. 1773, d. at Lockport, N.Y., 14 Oct. 1841 ae. 68, dau. of Nehemiah and Thankful (?Peat) Platt.
- v. Elias, b. 10 Apr. 1775; variously of Milford [Orange], Washington, Roxbury, Conn., and Lenox, N.Y.; thrice married, (1) 21 July 1793, Mary Ann Orton, who d. 10 Apr. 1813, and (2) Betsey Hurlbut.

SMITH of MILFORD [Sergt. John]. Page 104. Elizabeth⁴ Smith, b. 30 June 1708, d. 29 June 1775, having m. Josiah Gilbert, b. 24 Mar. 1698/9, d. at South Salem, N.Y., 20 Oct. 1781.

Vol. 25, p. 105. Nathan⁴ Smith [No. 58] d. at Huntington [now Shelton] 20 Dec. 1787 ae. 73 (church record); m. (for second wife) 1755, Elizabeth Stevens, b. ca. 1736, d. Nov. 1828 ae. 92 [daughter of John and

Mary (Painter) Stevens—D.L.J.]; had eight children b. 1764-79 [according to Mansfield J. French, Syracuse, N.Y.]. Of the children (some of whom were by a first wife), Joseph⁵ had a wife Rebekah, and Nathan⁵, a wife Amaryllis. —Marjorie E. Case, Hartford, Conn.

Page 112. Of the two daughters of Jacob⁴ Smith [No. 48], in 1791 Mary was wife of Nathan Dauchey, and Abigail was wife of Ebenezer Stebbins [Ridgefield Deeds, 7:130].

SMITH of WETHERSFIELD. Vol. 25, p. 129. Of the children of Samuel³ and Rebina (Reynolds) (Hall) Smith, Rebina, b. 23 Feb. 1706/7, d. 28 Apr. 1776, having m. 2 June 1731, Jonathan Collins and had ten children including triplets; and Keziah, b. 13 May 1713, m. 24 June 1742, Jonathan⁴ Gilbert.

PARKE. The defendants in the 1760 case found in Connecticut Superior Court Records [ante, Vol. 28, p. 105] were either children, or heirs of children, of Thomas⁴ and Hannah (Witter) Parke. Thomas Brown Jr. should read Tristram Brown, Jr., and Oliver Parke should read Olive Parke.

—Kendall P. Hayward, East Hartford, Conn.

GILLETT—DUNHAM. Vol. 29, pp. 23-4. Joel Gillett of Wintonbury, Conn., and Amenia, N.Y., son of Thomas³ and (second wife) Hannah (Clark) Gillett, born at Windsor, Conn., 1 May 1707, died at Amenia, N.Y., about 1763; married about 1737 Mary Foote, daughter of Daniel and Mary (Collier) Foote of Hartford. She was born 20 Nov. 1721; and married second, at Amenia, 30 Sept. 1765, Henry Fillmore. Joel's will, dated 3 May 1763, mentions wife Mary, sons Abner, Moses and Eli, and daughters Lucy Dunham, Mary and Sarah; executors, wife Mary and Nicholas Delavergne [Sharon Probate, 4:21, 23-5]. The will was proved 17 Apr. 1771, but a land record by Mary Gillett shows that Joel was deceased before 28 Jan. 1764. —Mrs. William C. Clark, Elkins Park, Penn.

The above confirms our objection to the statement in the 1907 Dunham genealogy that Joel Gillett married a Mary Kelsey; but helps to confirm the statement that Joel's daughter Lucy married Obadiah Dunham, as given in that not too reliable book.

CHARLES FERRY OF SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

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Inasmuch as there is no printed genealogy nor any published account of Charles Ferry, the following notes are of value as a basis for more extended research.

Charles Ferry or Ferre, a weaver by trade, parentage not known, born probably about 1640, died in Springfield, Hampshire (now Hampden) County, Mass., 3 July 1699; married there, 29 Mar. 1661, Sarah Harmon, born there 22 Sept. 1644, died there 31 Oct. 1740, aged 95, according to Springfield Church Records, daughter of John and Elizabeth (——) Harmon.

These were the parents of that Elizabeth Ferry who became the wife of Clement³ Buxton of Stamford, Conn., whose identity hitherto has not been established. Danbury Vital Records are not extant for that period, as they were burned by the British during the Revolutionary War, but fortunately this marriage was entered in Stamford records: Clement Buxton Jun^r and Elizabeth Ferre married in Danbury 4 April 1711 by M^r Bebee Justice of Peace [*The American Genealogist*, 11:94].

Therefore she was not a Connecticut Ferris as some have claimed. To return to the subject of this sketch, her father:

According to Burt's *History of Springfield* [Vol. 1, 1898, pp. 288, 304, 310, 128, 426, 295], in 1660 liberty was granted to Charles to build on the widow Harmon's woodlot, which "he sayeth he hath bought"; in 1661, he was granted six acres in the dingle; in 1663, he received, by grant, 20 acres on the north side of Agawam, and in 1668 and 1677 he served the town as a fence viewer. In 1679, he was an appraiser of the town stock; his was the tenth seat in the "seating of the meeting" and in 1695, as "Charles Ferry Senr," he served as a selectman.

The purchase mentioned above, as well as another acquisition by deed, are recorded in Springfield, for the Hampshire Deeds are on file there, while the early Hampshire Probate is preserved at Northampton. These two deeds follow, briefly abstracted, noted for us by Mrs. Seth Ames Lewis of Springfield.

12 Mar. 1662/3, Widdow Harman of Springfield conveyed to her son-in-law, Charles Ferry, of same, land in Springfield at the easterly end of the meadow, as also a parcel of land butting on the highway running westerly to Agawam; signed by mark; ackn. and recorded 1663; wit.: John Lumbard and John Lamb. [Hampshire Deeds, A:51.]

11 July 1666, Thomas Day and Sarah, his wife, of

Springfield, sold to Charles Ferry, of same, land in Springfield in the west side of the great river [Connecticut], also 6 acres there lying above the common running from the great river to Agawam river; they both signed; ackn. and recorded 1666; wit.: Abell Wright and Griffith Jones. [*Ibid.*, A:56.]

In 1668 Charles Ferry signed a petition, as of Springfield, about imposts, and 7 Oct. 1670 we have his signature on another petition of that town; further, 21 Mar. 1671/2, he was a member of a committee to lay out the bounds of Sheffield. [Mass. Archives, 112:210, 440, 553.] The previous 31 Oct. 1671, "Charles Ferry Spring" became a freeman of the Bay Colony. [Mass. Bay Col. Records, 4, part 2:585.] He made another purchase in 1674:

1 Mar. 1674, John Lamb, of Springfield, with consent of Joan his wife, sold to Charles Ferry, of same, two parcels of land in Springfield, one of 7 acres on west side of the Great River in the Third Division, and the other of two acres of meadow lying in the Meadows; they both sign by mark; ackn. and recorded 1678; wit.: John Holyoke and John Barber. [Hampshire Deeds, AB:3.]

His autograph appears on a document signed by Springfield inhabitants in testimony relative to the Rev. Pelatiah Glover, October 1681. [Mass. Archives, 11:19.] He then sold some of his Springfield realty:

5 Feb. 1684, Charles "Ferrey Sen^r" of Springfield, by exchange of land there, conveyed to Nathaniel Bliss, of same, 4 acres in the Long Meadows; he signs but Sarah Ferrey made her mark; ackn. by them in 1684 and recorded that year; wit.: David Morgan and Nathaniel Sikes; Consent of wife Sarah Ferrey etc. [Hampshire Deeds, AB:51.]

29 Dec. 1685, "Charles Ferrey Sen^r" of Springfield sold six acres there to Major John Pynchon Esq., Jonathan Burt Sr., Thomas Mirrick Sr., Thomas Day Sr., James Warriner Sr., Thomas and Joseph Stebbins and Samuel "Bal" [Ball] of Springfield [evidently as a committee?]; Sarah consents and they both signed by mark; ackn. and recorded 1685; wit.: Edetha Holyoke by mark, John Holyoke and Sarah Bliss by mark ("Sara"). [*Ibid.*, AB:60.]

20 Feb. 1687, Charles Ferry of Springfield, "Weaver," in consideration of several parcels of land there conveyed to him by John Pynchon Esq. of same, sold to said Pynchon six parcels of land there, one on west side of Connecticut River and southerly from Agawam River, 5 acres; one lying below Agawam River westward from the Great River, 5 acres; another below Agawam River westward from highway by Great River, 5 acres; another of 12 acres on Mill River on north side of the Corn Mill Stream; another at Sheepmuck in the Plain on south side

of Great River, 30 acres; another of meadow on East Branch of Mill River at Sixteen acres Brook, 4 acres; signed by mark; ackn. 11 Apr. 1688 by Charles Ferry and Sarah his wife; recorded 24 Aug. 1743; wit.: Roland Thomas his mark (R.T.) and Joseph Whitting. [*Ibid.*, N:352.] The last deed was recorded three years after the widow's demise and some fifty-six years after it was drawn, and shows the necessity in genealogical research of running deeds many years after the death of the persons whose records are sought.

The name of "Chas Ferry" appears on a list of those men approved as freemen by the selectmen of Springfield, as accepted by the General Court, 19 Dec. 1690. His son, Charles Ferry, Jr., was sworn in as a freeman there, 26 Mar. 1691. [Mass. Archives, 36:255, 255A.] The father has one more deed of record in Springfield:

1 Feb. 1695, Charles Ferry "Sen^r" of Springfield sold to Edward Stebbins of same, two acres there, in the neck in the General Field on the west side of the Great River, and "Sarah Ferry wife of above signing Charles Ferry Sen^r consents to sale on Day of Date a-abovesd," and both signed by mark; ackn. same day and recorded 5 Oct. 1743; wit.: Joseph Harmon and John Atchason. [Hampshire Deeds, N:397.]

Charles Ferry signed a protest of Springfield inhabitants living on the east side of the great river, 9 June 1696, also a petition for delay, etc. [Mass. Archives, 11:114, 115, 116a.] His son and namesake's signature may be seen on a petition re the west side, in parish matters, in 1702. [*Ibid.*]

We are fortunate that Charles Ferry left a will. It was dated 27 June 1698 and proved 5 Sept. 1699; in fact it was drawn in the "10th yr of King William, third." No executor was nominated in the will. The following abstract was noted for us by Walter E. Corbin of Florence, Mass., from records at Northampton, Mass.:

Will of Charles Ferry, Sr., of Springfield, 27 June 1698:

To son John the lot with the houseing that he now lives in, also lot at Thomsons Dingle 6 acres, and my meadow at the worlds end, and two acres at Poor Brook, also a third part of my land at great wachoge or watch-eet also my meadow that lyes upon a little brooke that runs into Scantic River w^{ch} I bought of Brother Joseph Harmon, also a third my land in the new field on the west side of the Great River w^{ch} I bought of Increas Sikes Sr., and John Dorchester and my meadow that lies against his house lot, this meadow, he is to have the use of during wifes widowhood, and afterward my son John deceased, the lands be equally between "his 2 sons John & Samuel the children of his first wife."

To Charles Ferry, land in swamp on Agawam River and third of my land at great Wachagoe and land on the little brook that runs in Scantic River that I bought as aforesaid and third of land in the new field on west side of the Great River.

To son Gershom, eight acres, woodlot and seven acres of woodlot and Plum tree meadow, and meadow at four-miles pond, and half my meadow at Great Wachoge or wachuet that I bought of Inceas Sikes, and half of my land by the path about six miles from the town and $\frac{1}{3}$ land in the new field over the Great River and below Agawam River and $\frac{1}{3}$ land at Wachogue aforesaid and $\frac{1}{3}$ my meadow on the brook that runs into Scantick River.

To my son Solomon, my house I now dwell in and the lot it stands on, and lot in the neck, and my meadow upon the Mill River at the parting of the branches of the "mil River" and the upland adjoining, six acres, the other half of ye meadow at Wachoge, bought of Increase Sikes, and the other half of my land by the Bay Path, but my house and lot, lot in the neck, and on mill river, be my wives for her improvement during her widowhood, that if Solomon die without issue then all given to him to go to Gershom, and "my wish is that the lands before mentioned, (excepting that what lyes in the westfield as aforesaid) be never alienated from the name of the Ferreys." [One wonders when this entail was broken.] Signed by:

"Charles fferrey his F marke"

Witnessed by Joseph Smith, Hannah Knowlton (her mark H) and by John Holyoke. 29 July 1699, John Holyoke and Hannah Knowlton acknowledged their signatures before the Judge of Probate. 12 Aug. 1699, Joseph Smith acknowledged his signature before the same.

Bond, 5 Sept. 1699, Springfield, for £600 sterling current money of New England, Sarah Ferry, widow, with John Ferry and Charles Ferry as her sureties, as administratrix of the estate, all of Springfield; she signed by mark but they signed as "John Fere Charls Fere." Witnessed by Samll Partrigg, Josiah Marshfeild and John Farrer.

Another document presents that:

John Ferrey was the Eldest son

Charles Ferry was the 2^d son

Gershom Ferry was the 3^d son

Solomon Ferry was the 4th & youngest son

The Inventory, dated 3 July 1699, [the date that] "hee died," by John Hitchcock Sr., James Warriner and Joseph Stebbins Sr., taken 21 July 1699, amounted to some £316-02-00, and lists, among other items, his 3 guns, 2 swords and 1 pike, at £11-09-00; and his homestead farm and barn, with two acres of homelot, at £70-00-00.

An agreement between the children of Charles fferrey senior of Springfield, late deceased, together wth their mother the relict of s^d deceased

1. That John fferrey shall have so much meadow land upon ye mil river at the parting of ye branches as may yeild him a load of hay yearly & this during his mothers widowhood, and also he shall have for his own & his heirs forever the 1/2 of the upper or northerly woodlot containing 4 acres viz - that half on the northerly side thereof, which lot lies on the Easterly end of Hezekiel Dickinsons meadow on the East side of the street

2. They agree that the daughters of the deceased shall have ye portions out of the moveables that is to say - Mary fferrey shall have £6 & that Mercy fferrey & Elisabeth fferrey shall have £13 apiece

3. They agree that whereas in the said will it is willed that if Solomon fferrey dy w^{thout} issue that his lands willed to him y^t it shall be [illegible: Gershom's?] the brethren John fferrey, Charles fferrey & Gershom fferrey do fully agree that his lands shall be equally divided between them the said John, Charles & Gershom or their heirs, and for the confirmation of the above agreement, for the full settlement of the Estate of s^d deceased, the said Relict, Sarah fferrey & the said sons John fferrey, Charles fferrey, Gershom fferrey & Solomon fferrey, & the sd Daughters Mary fferrey, Mercy fferrey and Elisabeth fferrey have hereunto set their hands & seals September Sixth day In the Eleventh year of the Reign of King William the Third Annoque Dom̄ 1699.

Sarah Ferry her mark

John fere

Gershom fere

Solomon fere

Mary fferry her mark

Mercy fferry her mark

Elizabeth fferry her mark

Witnessed by: Sam^{ll} Partrigg, John Holyoke and Beniamen Dorchester. [Hampshire Probate, Box 55, #48.]

There are no deeds recorded for Sarah (Harmon) Ferry after her husband's death, although she lived until 1740; we have noted the two deeds drawn in 1687 and 1695, both recorded in 1743. There are no Ferry-Buxton conveyances at Springfield and no settlement of land, as the daughters received their portions in movables.

There is no record of guardianship for Elizabeth and Solomon, the two children who were minors in 1699, and no formal settlement of the widow's estate at her death in 1740. Elizabeth was apparently living with her brother Solomon in Danbury, Conn., at the time of her marriage in 1711.

For the Springfield branches of this family, some data will be found in Thomas B. Warren, "Springfield Families," a manuscript of which copies are in certain libraries including the State Library, Hartford, Conn.; and Chapman's Ferry manuscript at the New England Historic Genealogical Society in Boston, Mass. In the listing of the children below, Burt's History of Springfield has been followed for a few dates.

Children, born in Springfield:

- i. John², b. 6 Nov. 1662; d. 23 Dec. 1745; m. four times, to Martha Miller, Mary Mudge, Mary Cooley, and Mary Swetman.
- ii. Charles, b. 4 Apr. 1665; d. 26 Feb. 1720; m. twice, to Rebecca Burt and Abigail Warner.
- iii. Sarah, b. 15 Dec. 1668; d. 25 July 1689; m. 30 June 1687, John Warner.
- iv. Mary, b. 6 June 1671; d. 2 June 1739; m. 18 Jan. 1700, as second wife, Nathaniel Burt.
- v. Gershom, b. 19 Mar. 1673/4; d. 13 Feb. 1748; m. Abigail Merrick.
- vi. Solomon, b. 19 July 1677; d. 16 Feb. 1683.
- vii. Mercy, b. 12 Mar. 1679/80; m. Ephraim Bartlett.
- viii. Elizabeth, b. 11 Feb. 1682; m. at Danbury, Conn., 4 Apr. 1711 (recorded at Stamford, Conn.), Clement Buxton of Stamford. They named their first son, Charles, and their second son, Ferry.
- ix. Solomon, b. 31 July 1686; d. at Danbury, early in 1771; thrice married; for further record, see below.

NOTES, DANBURY, CONN., BRANCH

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Over twenty-five years ago, in the course of working out a Ferry line of descent for a client, the writer collected considerable data on the Danbury branch of the Ferry family; incomplete though these notes are, it is felt that they will be found useful by many of the descendants of these family groups.

Danbury families are difficult because of the destruction of the land and vital records during the Revolutionary War. Many families, but only a small part of those then living in Danbury, thereafter turned in their records to the Town Clerk. The probate records are almost the only guide to the early generations, helped out by gravestones, and by private records when they exist. Church records of Danbury and Bethel do not aid much with early generations of the Ferry family.

Solomon Ferry, born at Springfield, Mass., 31 July 1686, died at Danbury, Conn., shortly before 5 Mar. 1771 (date of administration on estate); married first, probably at New Haven, Conn. (recorded at Springfield),

7 Feb. 1704/5, Lydia Peck, born presumably at New Haven about 1683, and baptized there (with five brothers and sisters) 12 Sept. 1686, daughter of Benjamin and Mary (Sperry) Peck. She died, presumably at Danbury, after 1730 and prior to 14 June 1757, on which date Solomon married second, at Newtown, Conn., Christian (Gunn) Botsford, born at Milford, Conn., 3 Aug. 1677, daughter of Jobamah and Sarah (Lane) Gunn, and widow of Henry³ Botsford (born at Milford, 12 Sept. 1676, died at Newtown, about Oct. 1747), whom she married 12 Nov. 1700, and widow also as we suppose of John Smith (born at Milford, 20 July 1674, died at Derby, Conn., 31 May 1749), to whom she was married 13 Oct. 1748. Although the Newtown church records designate her Widow Christian Botsford when she married Solomon Ferry, the Smith interlude lasted but seven months and she had returned to her Botsford children in Newtown. Probably the dauntless widow of eighty did not long survive her third matrimonial venture, for Solomon married third, Mary ———.

New Haven Deeds [9:5] contain a conveyance in 1730 from John Brownson of Farmington and Mary his wife, Solomon Ferry of Danbury and Lydia his wife, Nathaniel Bunnel of Wallingford in right of his deceased wife Desire, and Ebenezer Stevens of Danbury and Mehitable his wife, to their brother Ebenezer Peck of New Haven, of their interest in land which had belonged to Benjamin Peck and Mary his wife. It will be observed that Lydia Peck's eldest sister Mary married first, John Chatterton, and second, 17 Apr. 1709, John Brownson or Bronson of Farmington, and it was her daughter Rachel Brownson who married Lydia's son Joseph Ferry, a first cousin marriage.

Administration on the estate of Solomon Ferry was granted to Joseph Ferry, 5 Mar. 1771. Stephen Trowbridge, Thomas Taylor Jr., and Ephraim Barnum Jr. were appointed, 4 Apr. 1771, to distribute the estate to the widow Mary; to the children of Eben^r Ferry dec^d, eldest son to said Solomon dec^d; to Joseph Ferry; to Lydea wife of Bennoni Baley; to the children of Solomon Ferry Jr., deceased son to said Solomon dec^d; and to the children of Mary Rockwell, deceased daughter to said deceased; "being the children and all the children of Solomon deceased." [Danbury Probate, 2:403, 422.]

Children:

- 2 i. Ebenezer.
- 3 ii. Joseph.
- 4 iii. Lydia.
- 5 iv. Solomon.
- v. Mary, m. ——— Rockwell; possibly Noah Rockwell of Danbury, whose 1769 will named wife Mary, son Eliud.

2. Ebenezer Ferry, born probably about 1706, settled in Redding, Conn. [south of Danbury, and then a parish in Fairfield], and died between 12 and 22 Mar. 1743/4; married Eleanor Hull, baptized at Fairfield, 15 Sept. 1706, died at Redding, shortly before 2 Mar. 1762, daughter of Cornelius and Sarah (Sanford) Hull.

The will of Cornelius Hull, dated 18 Apr. 1734, proved 12 Aug. 1740, named his daughter "Eleoner Pherey," and the will of his widow Sarah Hull, dated 16 Jan. 1743/4, proved 25 June 1753, named her daughter Eleanor [Fairfield Probate, 8:528; 11:76].

The will of Ebenezer Ferry of "Reading," dated 12 Mar. 1743/4, proved 22 Mar. 1743/4, gave his wife Ellen the usual dower; named children Charls, Rachael, Sarah, John and Eben^r; and appointed his friend Ensign Lemuel Sanford of Reading, his brother Joseph Ferry of Danbury and wife Ellin executors. Distribution was made to the five children, 3 Feb. 1755. On 2 Mar. 1762, administration on the estate of Ellen Ferry was granted to Stephen Gray. Her estate was distributed, 8 Apr. 1762, a double portion to the eldest son, and a single portion to each other heir, viz.: Ebenezer^r, Charles, Hannah wife of Stephen Gray, and Rachael wife of Samuel Griffin. [Ibid., 9:245; 13:208, 354, 378; 14:479.]

Charles Ferry of Danbury conveyed 8 Mar. 1760 to Stephen Gray of Reading, 1/5 of dwelling house formerly belonging to father Ebenezer Ferry, also right in 1/3 of house set off to mother the Widow Ellenor Ferry, and the right belonging to brother John Ferry late of Danbury dec'd. Ebenezer Ferry of Danbury conveyed 7 Aug. 1764 to Stephen Gray of Reading land and 1/5 of dwelling house formerly belonging to father Ebenezer Ferry late of Reading dec'd. Samuel Griffin, Jr., and Rachel his wife of Newtown, Conn., conveyed 7 June 1762 to Stephen Gray of Reading, the same. [Fairfield Deeds, 15:327, 328, 192.]

Children, last four baptized at Redding:

- i. Charles, b. (say 1728); called of Redding when he m. at New Milford, 18 Oct. 1752, Mary Henry. He was of Danbury in 1760 when he sold Redding interest. He served in the French and Indian War in 1756-59 and 1761 in Danbury and Fairfield companies (Conn. Hist. Soc. Coll. 9:157, 158, 177, 178; 10:75, 150, 262). Perhaps the Mary Ferry listed in the 1790 Census at Granville, N.Y., with one other female in her household was his widow.
- ii. Rachel, b. (say 1731); m. Samuel Griffin of Newtown, son of Lieut. Samuel Griffin; had issue.
- iii. Abigail, bapt. 25 Mar. 1733; d. 7 Dec. 1734.
- iv. Sarah, bapt. 6 May 1739; living 1792; m. at Redding, 3 Sept. 1758, Stephen Gray, b. 7 Dec. 1735, d. at Redding, 26 Feb. 1796 ae. 60 (g.s.); had four children.

- v. John, bapt. 10 May 1741; in 1760 referred to as deceased in Fairfield Deeds. On 3 Feb. 1756, he chose Asa Curtis of Danbury for guardian (Danbury Probate, 2:56). He served under a Litchfield captain in 1757 in the French and Indian War, and in 1759 in a Fairfield and Danbury company.
- vi. Ebenezer, bapt. 12 June 1743; called himself of Danbury in 1764, but neither he nor his brother Charles had deeds in Danbury—however, those prior to the Revolution were destroyed. He is probably the Ebenezer who served in the French and Indian War, in 1761 in the same company with Charles Ferry and in 1762 under the same officers (Conn. Hist. Soc. Coll. 10:262, 324). He is probably the Ebenezer Ferry who in the 1790 Census was listed with two females in Granville, Washington Co., N.Y.

3. Joseph Ferry, born at Danbury, Conn., perhaps about 1708, died at Judea Parish (now Washington) in Woodbury, Conn., in 1771; married Rachel Bronson (or Brownson), born at Farmington, Conn., 6 July 1710, died at Norfolk, Conn., Dec. 1810 aged 101 (church record) or 9 Dec. 1810 aged 101 years 10 days (gravestone, Grantville Cemetery, Norfolk, as reported in Hale Collection, State Library), but actually 100 years 5 mos. 14 days making allowance for calendar change, daughter of John and Mary (Peck) (Chatterton) Bronson, and maternally her husband's first cousin. The will of John Brownson of Farmington, dated 21 June 1749, called this daughter "Rachel Fery."

No doubt his children were born in Danbury and the records are gone. He bought in Judea Parish, Woodbury, in 1763, in 1767 and in Jan. 1771, but the 1767 deed was not recorded until 1798, long after Washington had become a separate town and hence was recorded there.

On 4 Sept. 1771, administration was granted on his estate to Joseph Ferry, who gave bond with Caleb Malloy Jr. as surety. The inventory shows 3 acres with house, shop adjoining, barn and grist mill, also half an acre, and 10 acres in Woodbury, and 10 acres and an old shop in Danbury. [Woodbury Probate, File 1522.]

On 5 Jan. 1773, Joseph Ferry of Woodbury conveyed to "my Honoured Mother Rachel Ferry," a third of "my Now Dwelling House," with 3 acres, for her natural life. [Woodbury Deeds, 18:217.]

On 20 Mar. 1790, there was surveyed to Joseph Ferry of Washington, Conn., about 10 acres in the south-east of Danbury "that fell to him by his hon^d father Joseph Ferry dec^d." [Danbury Deeds, 2:340.]

Aside from Joseph, Jr., we lack proof of who the children were, but the following at least seem to belong to this family group:

- i. Joseph, b. at a guess around 1735; m. Mercy Hoyt. On 2 May 1798, Joseph Ferry and Mercy his wife of Washington, and Capt. Eliakim Benedict and Huldah his wife, and widow Ruth Peck, all of Danbury, conveyed to Joseph Starr, Jr., of Danbury, land distributed to said Ruth, Mercy and Huldah from the estate of their father, Capt. Nathaniel Hoyt late dec'd (Danbury Deeds, 11:479). As Joseph Jr. he bought in Judea in 1769, and as Joseph of Washington bought further in 1785 and 1796 (Washington Deeds, 5:68, 69, 70; all deeds recorded 1798). In the 1790 Census, he was at Washington with 2 males under 16 and 7 females. On 12 Nov. 1801, still of Washington, he sold to Lewis Hicock of Southbury four pieces of land with dwelling house, barn and grist mill (Washington Deeds, 6:30), and probably removed to Norfolk, Conn., at that time, as Dr Joseph and Mercy Ferry were admitted to the church there 25 Sept. 1802. Among his children we are inclined to place:
 1. Ezra, of Washington in the 1790 Census, with 1 male under 16 and 2 females; bought land in Washington 6 May 1793 (Washington Deeds, 4:83); admitted with wife to Norfolk Church, 7 July 1800, and he and wife Rhoda had son Francis-Cone bapt. there 20 Dec. 1802. On 2 Dec. 1812, Ezra Ferry of Greenville, Greene Co., N.Y., with wife Rhoda signing, conveyed to Zerah Ferry of Greenville, land in Washington bounded on land of Joseph Ferry (Washington Deeds, 9:246); Polly Ferry witnessed the deed.
 2. Irene, b. ca. 1769; d. (called dau. of Deacon Joseph Ferry of Norfolk dec'd) 2 Jan. 1836 ae. 67 (g.s., Washington).
 3. Joseph, called Jr., m. at Norfolk, Conn., 4 or 5 Apr. 1803, Lois Wilcox; a son Truman b. 25 Feb. 1804, and bapt. as Truman-Wilcox together with Sally-Minerva, 20 June 1811.
 4. Huldah, m. at New Milford, Conn., 22 Mar. 1795, Calvin Calhoun, "both of Washington."
 5. Elizabeth, m. at Washington, 3 Dec. 1800, William Calhoun.
- ii. Ebenezer, b. say 1740; m. at Judea (Washington), 8 Nov. 1763, Sarah Bassett, "both of Judea." He sold land in the North Purchase in Judea, 5 Jan. 1769; and bought in Judea, twice, in 1778 (Woodbury Deeds, 20:269; 22:92, 93). In the 1790 Census, he was listed at Washington with 4 males under 16 and 3 females.
- iii. Philemon, b. 1752 or later; Joseph Ferry gave bond as his guardian, 3 Nov. 1772 (Woodbury Probate, File 1523).

Another child of Deacon Joseph and Mercy (Hoyt) Ferry may have been Thomas Ferry who m. at Norfolk, Dec. 1807, Temmy Foote. Joseph Jr. and Thomas would account for the 2 males under 16 in this family in 1790.

4. Lydia Ferry, married Benoni Bailey. The will of Benoni Bailey of Danbury, dated 13 Feb. 1775, proved 4 June 1793, named wife Lydia; son Samuel; daughter Sarah wife of Ebenezer Ferry; and daughter Rebecca Bailey. Lydia died after 1775 and before an agreement of heirs, 3 May 1794, which was signed by Samuel "Bailey," Ebenezer Munson and wife Sarah, and Rebecca "Bailey." [Danbury Probate, 6:264, 365.]

Children:

i. Samuel, d. in 1808; m. (1) 20 Feb. 1756, Lydia, dau. of Capt. Lemuel Beebe, who d. 21 May 1784; m. (2) 23 Oct. 1786, "Widow" Mary Dibble. Adm'n on his estate was granted, 8 Apr. 1808, to Lemuel B. Bailey and Edmund Beebe of Danbury. Distribution was made 4 Oct. 1808 to the Widow; Samuel Bailey; heirs of Ebenezer Bailey dec'd; Lemuel B. Bailey; Edmund Beebe's wife; and heirs of Benjamin Bailey dec'd. (Danbury Probate, 9:541; 10:25.) Children by first wife:

1. Benjamin, b. 9 Dec. 1756; m. 3 June 1777, Hannah Dibble, dau. of Eleazer, who d. 6 Nov. 1800, and had children recorded at Danbury:

(1) Nabbe, b. 4 Apr. 1778; d. 1 July 1788.

(2) Amme, b. 14 May 1780; d. 23 Dec. 1802; m. 15 May 1799, Abel Hoyt.

(3) Major, b. 21 May 1783.

(4) Eli, b. 12 Nov. 1786.

(5) Nabbe, b. 20 July 1791.

(6) Edmond.

(7) Deborah.

(8) Anson, b. 1 Aug. 1798.

2. Ebenezer, b. 24 June 1759. His heirs as named in 1808 in distribution of his father's estate were: Joseph Hitchcock's wife; Abel Beebe's wife; Eden Benedict's wife; Lydia Bailey; Starr Bailey; Gould Bailey; and Samuel Bailey "Junr".

3. Samuel, b. 25 Sept. 1766.

4. Lydia, b. 8 May 1769; m. 27 Sept. 1787, Edmond Beebe.

5. Lemuel Beebe, b. 2 Nov. 1779; m. 20 Sept. 1801, Abby Gregory, 2nd dau. of Abraham of Norwalk, and had children of record (probably others):

(1) Caroline, b. 12 July 1802.

(2) Hannah Lurana, b. 14 June 1804.

ii. Sarah, m. (1) Ebenezer Ferry, her first cousin (No. 6, q.v.); m. (2) Ebenezer Munson.

iii. Rebecca, d. 1795, unm. Adm'n was granted, 7 Dec. 1795, to Samuel Bailey, and distribution was made, 10 Oct. 1796, to Samuel Bailey, only brother, and Sarah wife of Ebenezer Munson, only sister. (Danbury Probate, 6:521; 7:60.)

5. Solomon Ferry, Jr., died at Danbury, Conn., in 1753; married Abigail ____.

On 7 May 1753, Joseph Ferry was appointed guardian to Joshua and Ebenezer, sons of Solomon Ferry, Jr., and gave bond with widow Abigail Ferry; "Bennoni Bailley" of Danbury was appointed guardian to Benjamin, and gave bond with Joseph Ferry. Widow Abigail was appointed guardian to Solomon and Eliphalet. Joshua, son of Solomon, Jr., chose Joseph Ferry for guardian, 8 July 1754, and on 11 Feb. 1764, Solomon, son of Solomon, Jr., made choice of James Seley of Danbury; while on 5 Mar. 1771 Eliphalet, son of Solomon, Jr., chose Asa Curtis. At Court 2 Dec. 1754: Solomon Ferry, Jr., dying intestate, distribution was ordered to the widow Abigail; to Joshua the eldest son; and to the children Ebenezer, Benjamin, Solomon, and Eliphalet. At Court 28 May 1753: Solomon Ferry, Jr., had owned land in joint tenancy with Solomon Ferry and Joseph Ferry; Capt. Ebenezer Hickok was empowered to make a division. [Danbury Probate, 2:42, 46, 170, 400, 69.]

Children:

1. Joshua, b. 1740 (of age to choose guardian in 1754 but not of age in 1753; the legal age was 14); d. in 1760. Joshua, son of Solomon Ferry, Jr., dying intestate and before he arrived at the age of 21 and before marriage, his estate was ordered distributed equally between the surviving children of Solomon. (Danbury Probate, 2:115.)
- 6 ii. Ebenezer, b. probably in the early 1740's.
- 7 iii. Benjamin, b. probably in the early 1740's.
- iv. Solomon, b. ca. 1749-50 (of age to choose guardian in Feb. 1764).
- 8 v. Eliphalet, b. ca. June 1752 (by age at death).

6. Ebenezer Ferry, born perhaps as early as 1741, died shortly before 8 June 1790; married Sarah Bailey, his first cousin.

His family was not recorded in the town records. He died insolvent and there was no will or distribution of his estate. No positive proof has been found as to who his children were, but he was certainly father of Joshua and quite likely of Ebenezer. His name appears infrequently in the records, but he sold land in 1777.

Sarah Bailey was called wife of Ebenezer Ferry in her father's will in 1775, but was wife of Ebenezer Munson when the Bailey heirs made an agreement in 1794. The Munson Record [1:552] states that Ebenezer Munson (born 19 Aug. 1738, died 8 Aug. 1818) married his second wife, Sarah, before 28 Sept. 1786, when their names appear on a list of members of Danbury Church. This statement has been verified, and unless Sarah's name was added at a later date than 1786, it must be concluded that Munson had a second wife, of unknown identity, in 1786, and that Sarah (Bailey) Ferry was a

third wife, married between 1791 and 1794.

Administration on the estate of Ebenezer Ferry of Danbury was granted 8 June 1790 to Joshua Ferry, who represented the estate to be insolvent. Dower was set to the widow, Sarah Ferree, 28 Jan. 1791, by the distributors, Thomas Taylor, James Seelye and Oliver Benedict. The estate was reported to be insufficient to cover the cost of administration. [Danbury Probate, 5: 528; 6:46.]

The will of Benoni Bailey in 1775 gave to his daughter Sarah wife of Ebenezer Ferry land "at a place called Stadley Rough." [Ib., 6:264.] Danbury Deeds, cited in The Munson Record [1:552] and not verified, give the following information. Sarah wife of Ebenezer Munson purchased 7 Mar. 1797 from Joshua Ferry 7 acres in Bethel Parish at "Staddle Roof," with $\frac{2}{3}$ of the dwelling house. Ebenezer Munson in 1813 sold to J. B. Ferry [this was Joshua B., probably son of Joshua and grandson of Sarah] 9 rods of land with the dwelling house standing thereon at Stadly Roof, bounded on three sides by Sarah Munson's land, "with the privilege of living in said House me and my Wife during our natural lives." Ebenezer and Sarah Munson in 1815 sold 20 acres at "Bogus" in Danbury, and in 1816 they sold to A. Crofut 7 acres at Stadley Roof.

In the Census of 1790, Sarah "Ferrys" was listed in Danbury with one female besides herself in the family. Joshua "Ferrys" was listed next to her, with two females (probably his wife and a child), indicating that he lived in the same or a neighboring house. If Ebenezer was another son, he may have been apprenticed to or working for a neighbor or relative, following his father's death or even preceding it.

Children, not proved, Joshua reasonably certain, Ebenezer hypothetical:

- 9 i. Joshua, b. ca. 1765-7.
- 10 ii. Ebenezer, b. say 1770-2.

7. Benjamin Ferry, born perhaps as early as 1743, died between 11 Mar. and 2 July 1796; married first, 27 Jan. 1763, name of wife not entered but probably Lydia Hoyt (who married Benjamin Ferry according to the Hoyt Genealogy), who died 5 Mar. 1769; married second, 3 July 1769, name of wife not entered, but she was Sarah (Dibble) Waller, daughter of Lieut. John Dibble and widow of Joseph Waller [proved by distribution of estate of Lieut. John Dibble, 30 Apr. 1790, Danbury Probate, 5:522], who died shortly prior to 5 Dec. 1812.

Benjamin's family is entered in the town records of Danbury and he left a will, hence his family is known completely. He was a Loyalist, for he was one of eight

men "all late of Danbury" whose estates were forfeited 29 Dec. 1779 [Danbury Probate, 4:84]. Doubtless he returned to Danbury after the war. He is listed at Danbury in the 1790 Census, with a male under 16 and four females. He and his wife conveyed Dibble land in 1794 to Ezra Dibble of Brookfield [Deeds, 8:315].

The will of Benjamin Ferry, dated 11 Mar. 1796, probated 2 July 1796, named wife Sarah, eldest son Benjamin Ferry, and children Solomon Ferry, Jerusha wife of Nath^l Benedict, Abigail wife of Samuel Barnum, Lydia wife of Isaac Williams, and Amelia Ferry. [Danbury Probate, 7:38.]

Administration on the estate of Sarah Ferry of Danbury (widow of Benjamin Ferry) was granted, 5 Dec. 1812, to Joseph M. White of Danbury. The distribution of her dower in Benjamin's estate was made 2 Feb. 1813 to the son Benjamin Ferry; daughter Lydia wife of Isaac Williams; Jerusha wife of Nath^l Benedict; Abigail wife of Samuel Barnum; and the heirs of Solomon Ferry dec'd, who was second son of said dec'd Benjamin Ferry. Distribution of her own estate was made 1 Apr. 1813 to: daughter Hannah wife of Zelotus Robertson; 2nd daughter Sarah wife of Clawson Hawley; third daughter Lydia wife of Isaac Williams; and children of Solomon Ferry dec'd who was son of said Sarah deceased. [Danbury Probate, 11:259, 289, 362.] The first two daughters were her children by Joseph Waller.

Children by first wife:

- i. Jerusha, b. 27 Nov. 1763; m. Nathaniel Benedict.
- ii. Abigail, b. 16 Nov. 1766; m. Samuel Barnum.
- iii. Benjamin, b. 15 Feb. 1769; d. 4 Jan. 1860 ae. 92 (Cong. Church Rec.); m. (1) Anna Barnum; m. (2) Mary —, who d. 1 Jan. 1848 ae. 64 (ib.). The distribution of the estate of Rachel Barnum, "late widow of David Barnum," in 1798 was to eldest dau. Rachel Barnum, youngest dau. Anna wife of Benjamin Ferry, etc. On 26 May 1796, Benjamin Ferry and Anna his wife conveyed to Ezra Barnum land bounded west on Rachel Barnum mother of Ezra, north on Isaac Platt and Mary his wife and on Eliakim Barnum, east on Abel Barnum, and south on Rachel Barnum (Danbury Deeds, 8:592). On 9 Apr. 1799, Benjamin Ferry conveyed to David Benedict of Danbury land with 1/2 of the buildings thereon set to him by the will of his father Benjamin Ferry dec'd (ib., 10:106). On 31 May 1800, Benjamin Ferry and Anna his wife conveyed to Abel Barnum land in Bethel (ib., 10:85). On 1 Dec. 1804, Isaac Platt of Newtown, Levi Barnum of Salisbury, and Benjamin Ferry and Anna his wife of Danbury conveyed to Caleb Benedict, Jr., of Danbury all lands set to them out of the estate of Ebenezer Benedict late of Danbury dec'd (ib., 10:503).

Children by second wife:

- iv. Solomon, b. 21 Apr. 1770; d. at Wilton, Conn., ca. 1806; m. at Wilton, 18 July 1798, Ann Betts. Distribution of Solomon's estate was made, 18 Mar. 1807, to his widow Aner and children Eliza, Amelia, Joseph, Irad, and Susan (Norwalk Probate, 1:166). Widow Sarah Ferry of Danbury asked 2 Nov. 1806 the guardianship of Amelia Ferry of Wilton, aged about 8 (ib., 1:93); and on 7 Dec. 1812, Amelia Ferry, aged about 15, dau. of Solomon Ferry late of "Danbury," dec'd, chose Joseph Robinson for guardian (Danbury Probate, 11:259). Adm'n on the estate of Joseph Ferry of Wilton was granted, 7 Aug. 1828, to Harvey Hickok of Wilton (Norwalk Probate, 4:251).
- v. Joseph, b. 2 Feb. 1772; d. young.
- vi. Lydia, b. 1 Aug. 1773; d. 11 Dec. 1774.
- vii. Lydia, b. 6 Aug. 1775; m. Isaac Williams.
- viii. Amelia, b. 19 Mar. 1777; living 1796, d. unm.

8. Eliphalet Ferry, born about June 1752, died 12 Feb. 1827, aged 74 yrs. 8 mos.; married Mercy Taylor, born about Dec. 1753, died 10 Oct. 1837, aged 83 yrs. 10 mos. He served in the Revolutionary War, 1775 [Conn. Men in the Revolution, 68].

Children (as given by a descendant, with additions):

- i. Noah Taylor, b. about 1778; d. 5 May 1843; m. about 1803, Drusilla Barnum.
- ii. Mary, m. — Benedict.
- iii. Ann, m. Isaac Duncombe.
- iv. Eli, b. about 1785; d. 25 Feb. 1867 aged 81 (g.s., Bethel); probably m. (1) Fanny Wheeler (Starr Gen., 398); m. (2) Eliza —; m. (3) Catherine —.
- v. Sarah, b. about Oct. 1787; d. 24 Apr. 1869; m. Isaac Seelye Hawley.
- vi. Sylvester, m. Emily Downing.

9. Joshua Ferry, born presumably 1765-1767, died before 1820 and probably before 1813; married at Easton, Conn., May 1789, Sarah Patterson, baptized at Easton, Aug. 1770, died at Danbury, in 1822, daughter of Thomas and Sarah (French) Patterson.

On 17 Apr. 1797, Joshua Ferry and Sarah his wife "of Danbury but now residing in Newtown," sold to Thomas Patterson of Weston, "part of the Real Estate of Thomas Patterson late of said Weston Deceased....Sarah...is... Daughter of the said Deceased." [Weston Deeds, 5:363.]

Huldah Ann Ferry, daughter of Joshua Ferry, dec'd, chose Hiram Knapp for guardian, 3 Jan. 1820. Administration on the estate of Sarah Ferry was granted, 25 Nov. 1822, to Ebenezer Ferry, who gave bond with Joshua Ferry. No distribution found. [Danbury Probate, 13:504; 14:283.]

Probable children (incomplete record):

- i. Ebenezer, b. 27 June 1795; d. 11 Apr. 1860 ae. 64 yrs. 9 mos. 14 days; m. Polly —, who d. 5 May 1854 ae. 63 yrs. 5 mos. This Ebenezer was called "2nd" in deeds prior to the death of Ebenezer, No. 10. Children (information from two grandsons):
 1. Frederick.
 2. Moses Stephen; had sons Granville (of Bethel) and Philander (of Redding).
 3. William; had a son William Henry (called by his middle name, lived on his father's place near Bogus).
 4. Joshua, res. Hartland, Conn.
 5. Sarah, d. 20 Sept. 1898; m. Samuel Tucedey of Danbury.
- ii. Joshua B., b. ca. 1791; d. 10 Oct. 1832 ae. 42 (g.s., Dodgingtown Cemetery, Newtown). Administration on his estate was granted, 26 Oct. 1832, to Ammon Taylor and James Morgan of Danbury. Dower was set to his widow Joanna, 14 June 1833, the land being in Bogus; estate insolvent. (Danbury Probate, 17:49, 243.)
- iii. (possibly) Milo, b. ca. 1804; d. 18 Sept. 1865 ae. 61 (g.s., Hopewell district, Newtown, which is east of Bogus in Bethel); m. Caroline —, who d. 12 Feb. 1886 ae. 76 yrs. 6 mos.
- iv. Huldah Ann, b. ca. 1806.

10. Ebenezer Ferry, perhaps a younger son of Ebenezer [No. 6], otherwise unplaced, born presumably 1770-1772, died at Bethel, Conn., about Jan. 1819 (death noted in the Norwalk Gazette, issue of 27 Jan. 1819, age not stated); married Charity Foote, born at Newtown, Conn., 13 Mar. 1774, died at Bethel in 1855 (a modern stone in her memory gives the dates "1774-1855"), daughter of Joseph and Hepzibah (Sherman) Foote.

He bought from Ira Brunson, 25 Nov. 1797, and on 15 Oct. 1800 conveyed to Abigail wife of Jacob Judd of Danbury, land, house and blacksmith shop purchased of Ira Brunson, "on which I now live," reserving use until 1 April next. He bought land and house on 1 Apr. 1802 from Thomas Judd, Jr., and Jethro Hatch. [Danbury Deeds, 5:448; 10:120, 398.]

Administration on his estate was granted, 14 Apr. 1819, to Charity Ferry and Starr Ferry. The inventory included a house, barn and blacksmith shop. Distribution was made in Nov. 1823 to the widow, Charity Ferry; eldest son, Starr Ferry; eldest daughter, Delania wife of Medad Morgan; 2nd son, Philander Ferry; 3rd son, Sherman Ferry; 4th son, George Ferry; and 2nd daughter, Polly Ferry. [Danbury Probate, 13:371, 414; 15:150.]

Children:

1. Starr, b. 28 Jan. 1797; d. 8 Aug. 1867 ae. 70 yrs. 6 mos. 11 days (g.s., Bethel); m. (1) Esther Blackman, b. 30 June 1796, d. 19 Aug. 1832 ae. 36 yrs. 1 mo.

- 19 days (g.s.), dau. of Nirom and Phebe (Sanford) Blackman; m. (2) 29 Dec. 1832, Clarissa H. (Morgan) Barnum, who d. at New York City, 5 Jan. 1866 ae. 66 (g.s., Bethel), widow of Russell Barnum. Of their several children: Clark Blackman Ferry, b. ca. 1818, d. at Bethel 27 May 1852 ae. 34, m. Abigail J. Nichols, b. 8 Apr. 1818, d. 6 May 1901; and Orris S. Ferry, b. 15 Aug. 1823, d. at Norwalk, Conn., 21 Nov. 1875, was elected 1859 to the 36th Congress, Colonel of 5th Conn. Regt., Civil War, and Brig.-General 17 Mar. 1862, elected by Conn. Legislature to U.S. Senate, and reelected 1872.
- ii. Delania, m. Medad Morgan.
- iii. Philander, b. ca. 1804-5 (at 15 years, chose Starr Ferry of Brookfield for guardian (Danbury Probate, 13: 545).
- iv. Sherman b. ca. 1807; d. 30 Oct. 1873 ae. 66 (g.s., Bethel); wife Mary Ann Jeanette d. 6 May 1878 ae. 71 yrs. 5 mos. (g.s.).
- v. George, b. ca. 1812; on 2 Apr. 1827, aged about 15, chose Starr Ferry for guardian (Danbury Probate, 15: 412); by gravestone b. 24 June 1817 (error in copying for 1812?), d. 23 Dec. 1891; m. Mary W. Starr, b. 13 Jan. 1819, d. 2 Apr. 1897 (g.s.).
- vi. Polly.

DAVID GRANNIS BIBLE RECORD

David⁴ Grannis (John³, John², Edward¹) was born at New Haven, Conn., 9 Apr. 1755, lived in various places in Connecticut, and was of Lodi, Collins township, Erie Co., N.Y., in 1832 when he was pensioned for Revolutionary service. He died 7 Jan. 1834, and his widow, Clarissa (Martin) Grannis applied for a pension in 1839. She was then living with her son, Samuel Grannis, in LeRoy, Genesee Co., N.Y., and stated that she was married in Oct. 1779 by Basil Munson, Justice of Peace in Hamden [Mt. Carmel], Conn. The original Bible record is filed with the papers, and gives births of the children, few of which are given in Descendants of Edward Grannis (1927), by Frederick Augustus Strong, page 34. The book errs in calling the daughter Julia's husband Allen Runey; they figure in the pension papers as Allen and Julia Keeny. The birth records are:

Caty	24 Feb. 1780	Samuel	5 Apr. 1793
John	5 Oct. 1781	Martin	21 May 1795
Polly	8 Jan. 1784	Twins	26 July 1797
Chauncey	20 Oct. 1785	Abigail	11 Apr. 1800
Clarissa	5 Mar. 1788	Julia	25 Aug. 1804
David	13 Oct. 1790		

RANDOM NOTES CONCERNING SETTLERS OF DUTCH DESCENT

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(Concluded from Vol. 29, p. 152)

<u>Year</u>	<u>Name of Servant</u>	<u>age</u>	<u>place or origin</u>	<u>employ</u>	<u>employer</u>
1640	Cornelis Arissen mar.	30	Houten	houseman	Kil. Van Rensselaer
1663	Bellitje Henrix	28	Arnhem	farmer	Pieter Alrichs
1639	Evert Albers		Groningen	had been a baker in New Neth.	Kil. Van Rensselaer
	Hendrik Alberts				
1651	Hendrik Arents (mentioned in Kingston)		Almelo (Overijssel)	farm hand	Jan Everts Bout
1658	Jan Aerts (Apparently on St. Is.: Col. Ms. XIII:74)		Heerde		Claes Hendriks van Schoonhoven, Ft. Orange
1641	Wouter Aerts (Possibly the same as Wouter Aerts from Nykerk wheelwright, E.R.A. IV:56. Du. Settl. Soc. Alb. 1934/5: 2 Min. Ft. Orange p. 20. Possibly a son of Aert Theunissen from Putten murdered by Indians 1643)	21	Putten	to sow, to mow, to dig ditches and to do farming in the Gelderland manner	Wouter Van Twiller
1651	Direk Adriaensz		Dreumel(en)		Adr. Van der Donck
1651	Gerrit Bancken (r)		Wessem		Gerrit Jansz
1663	Cornelis Barents (Son of Barent Joostz. Du. Settl. Soc. Alb. 1929/30, p. 30/1)	20	Vreeland	merchant's clerk	Jan Van Rensselaer
1651	Lubbert Bessels	26	Nykerk		Jan Van Rensselaer
1657	Joannes Blenck			farm hand	Joannes Lucasz Schouten
1663	Christoffel Breukman			farm hand	Pieter Alrichs
1653	Hendrik Cornelis Broeck			carpenter	Adr. Van der Donck
1655	Stoffel Jansz Broer		Amsterdam		Gerbert Cruyff

1663	Claes Matthys Brouwer	Leiden	South River
1653	Adam Burgheret	Hemert	Francois Fyn
1659	Carsten Carsten	17 Huyr	J. B. Van Rensselaer
1651	Bartel Nicolaes van de Broeck (Claes)	16 Nykerk	Adriaen Van der Donck
1651	Ryck Claes	Flensburg	Jan Van Rensselaer
1652	Gerrit Claes	Rotterdam	Franchois Fyn
1653	Hendrick Claesz		A. Van der Donck
			tilemaker, to make ash and potash according to the new invention @ 250 gl.
1663	Pieter Claesz	19 Suyderstapel	J. B. Van Rensselaer
1653	Symon Claes	Graft	Wouter v. Twiller
1652	Marretje Cornelis	Flensburg	Jan Jansz de Jonge
1651	Jan Cornelis	Vechten	Ide van Voorst
1663	Pieter Cornelis (Ancestor Breyant family, mar. Brkl. 1670, N.Y. Wills IX:50)	Steenwyck	Pieter Alrichs
1639	Jan Cornelis	50 Nieuwe Nierop near Schagen	Kil. Van Rensselaer
1652	Thomas Cornelis (father Cornelis Thomas)	Flensburg	Ant. Jansz van Salee
1658	Jan Corsse	Haarlem	master house carpenter Jacob Backer
1658	Hendrik Coster		tailor and other "negotie"
1641	Gerrit Courten (N.J. Wills 1671; mar. N.Y.D.R. 1647; R.N.A.II:277. Brother of Harmen Courten.)	21 Voorthuysen	to sow, to mow, to plow, to dig ditches and to do farm work acc. to Gelderland manner tailor
1657	Mathys Crynen Cuyper	Westryse, Norway	Jan Hendr. van Bael
1655	Thomas Davidsz	poorhouse, Am- sterdam	Blommaert
1656	Metgen Davids	Ditmars	Jan de la Montagne
1663	Jeuriaen Deutsch	19 Bunschoten	Pieter Alrichs
1651	Roelof Dirks		J. van Rensselaer

1651	Adriaen Dirke	40	v. Bil	J. van Rensselaer
1653	Pieter Dirks		de Ryp	Abraham Staets
1655	Jacob Douwes Smid	18	Amsterdam	Gerbert Cruyff
1663	Jacob Elberts		Huizen	J. B. van Rensselaer
	(Du. Settl. Soc. Alb. 1929/30 p. 30/1)			
1651	Elbert Elbertsz	14	Nykerk (not Stoothoff)	J. van Rensselaer
1655	Barent Egberts, tailor		Schutterop (Schuttorf)	Sal. la Chair
1639	Jan Fransz	31	Hoesem	Kil. van Rensselaer
				had been a sailor in the service of the W.I.C.
1651	Frans Gabriels	18	Amersfoort	J. van Rensselaer
1663	Barent Gerrits		Fernsum, Embderland	South River
1653	Adriaentje Gerrits		Amsterdam	Pieter Lefebure
	(Possibly the same who mar. N.Y.D.R. 1653)			
1651	Jacob Gerrits		Ruinen	Jacob Strycker
1657	Theunis Gerritsz		Cuylenburg	Arent van Curler
1653	Jan Gerrits		Steenwyk	Adr. van der Donck
1649	Lubbert Gerrits		Putten	Stuyvesant
1652	Jannetje Gerrits		Loon (op Zand)	Adr. van der Donck
	(mar. N.Y.D.R. 1652)			
1652	Gerrit Gerritsz		Dokkum	Jan Jansz Kuiper
1653	Allard Govertsz		Steenwyk	Rutger Jacobs & Joossen Gerrits
1651	Cornelis Alberts van der Gouw			Ide van Voorst
1657	Fytje Gommels			Joannes Willems
1659	Thobias Groen		Middelburg	South River
1658	Gerrit Gysberts		Heerden	Reynout Reynoutsz
1659	Jan Hans	29	Grandicap, Jutland	Claes Hendriks van
1662	Harmen Harmensz		Deutecom	Schoonhoven at Ft. Orange
1660	Margaretha Hendriks		Aurich	J. B. van Rensselaer
1652	Bessel Hendriks		Bunschoten	Stuyvesant
	Elisabeth Hendriks		Kampen	Gabriel de Haes
				Kil. van Rensselaer
				Frans Barentsz Pastoor

1663	Hendrik Hendriksz		Stift Munster	South River
1654	Marretje Hendriks		Norden	Frangoys Fyn
1662	Thyman Hendriks	18	Bunschoten	J. B. van Rensselaer
1651	Jan Hendriks	21	Horst	J. van Rensselaer
1652	Jacob Hendriks		van den Toleck	Kil. van Rensselaer
1663	Mense Herbertsz		Lier	Pieter Alrichs
1663	Hans Hermansz		Bremen	Pieter Alrichs
1653	Jan Hofman		Bremen	Adr. van der Donck
1655	Christopher Hooglant		Kampen	Govert Lookermans
1643	Jan Huyberts		Kampen	Kil. van Rensselaer
1643	Jan Huysters		Raamsdonck	Ft. Orange
1652	Mayken Huyberts		(same as "van Geertruidenberg"; mar. N.Y.D.R. 1653)	Adr. van der Donck
1652	Jacob Jansz		Etten	Adr. van der Donck
1639	Susanna Jans		Borcken near Wesel	Kil. van Rensselaer
1662	(sister wife of Reynier Stoffels)		Heerde	Stuyvesant
1654	Willem Jansz		Amsterdam	Dirk Jansz Croon
1654	Jan Jansz		Hofquarden	Frangois Fyn
1663	Jan Jansz		Oldenburg	Pieter Alrichs
1662	Jan Jansz		Glabbeek	J. B. van Rensselaer
1663	Claes Jansz		Groningen	Leendert Cornelissen
1651	Sweer Jansz	19	Amersfoort	farm hand
1639	Geertje Jans		Borcken near Wesel	Pieter Alrichs
1659	(wife of Reyer Stoffels)		Groningen	J. van Rensselaer
1653	Arent Jans		Friedrichstadt	Ft. Orange
1653	Christiaan Jans		with the ax as he used to do	
1651	Cornelis Jans	16	Bunschoten	J. van Rensselaer
1651	Hendrik Jansz		Schalkwyk	Jan Jansz Damen
	(Van Oosteroom family; Burgher, N.A.; mar. N.Y.D.R. 1652)			

1663	Hendrik Richters					South River
1657	Hendrik Jansz Rooseboom					Jan Hendr. van Bael
1663	Jan Rutgers	16			tailor's apprentice	J. B. van Rensselaer
	(Du. Settl. Soc. Alb. 1829/30 p. 30/1)					
1659	Pieter Jansz Scholl				shoemaker	Coenraet ten Eyck
1663	Ferdinandus van Sicheler					Gys Cornelis Oudenkerk
	(Ancestor of Van Sicklen family)					
1653	Huybert Smit				farm hand	Francois Fyn
1657	Geesjen Staats				housemaid	Johannes Lucasz Schouten
1642	Abraham Staats				surgeon	Kil. van Rensselaer
	mar. (Anc. of Staats family)					
1657	Tryntje Jochems	19			farm hand	Johannes Lucasz Schouten
1639	Wilhelmus Stilmenck					Kil. van Rensselaer
	Reynier Stoffels	39				
	mar.					
	Geertje Jans	40			bakers apprentice	Joost Theunis van Norden
1650	Gerrit Sybrands				house maid	Bloemaert
1651	Marretje Symons					Adr. van der Donck
1652	Aert Pietersz Tack					Kil. van Rensselaer
1639	Cornelis Theunissen	25				
	mar.					
	Claesje Theunis	24			blacksmith	Dirk de Wolff
1661	Arent Theunisz (Pier)					Stuyvesant
	(N.Y. Rec. 1929:161, 222; 1935:193)					
1662	Claes Theunisz				farming	J. B. van Rensselaer
	(married, N.Y.D.R. 1662)					Kil. van Rensselaer
1660	Geurt Theunis	21			carpenter	Jan Verbeek
1642	Jan Theunis	36			house maid	Jan Barentsz Wemp
1641	Jannetje Theunis					Brian Newton
1660	Sweer Theunis	20				J. B. van Rensselaer
1659	Thomas Thomasz					Rensselaer
1639	Carsten Thomas	28			farm hand	
1649	Jan Thys					

1654	Cornelis Vaandel				Jan Evertsz Bout
1641	Jan Verbeek	Breda	farm hand		Kil. van Rensselaer
	mar.				
	Mayke Damen Vissenburg				Johannes Clouet
	Lysbet van der Linden, dav. by her first husband				Jan Hendriksz van Bael
1663	Gerrit Verbeek		tailor		Joost Theunis van Norden
1653	Jan Dirksz Vinhagen	Genen	taylor's apprentice		Elbert Elbertsen
1650	Symon Volckertsz	Ysens (Esens)	baker's apprentice		Adr. van der Donck
1653	Jan Volckertzen	Schermer	cooper		Rensselaer
1653	Joris van Vorst		farm hand		Elbert Elbertsz
1660	Theunis Willemsz	26 Maartensdyk	house man, servant		
1651	Dirk Willemsz	Schalkwyk			
	(mark. Kingston 1662 (4); Col. Ms. XIII:154)	Heerden			
1658	Jan Willemsz				
1650	Hendrik Willems	Ysens (Esens)	baker's apprentice		Claes Hendriksz van
1663	Claes Woortman	Groningen	farm hand		Schoonhoven at Ft. Orange
1660	Geertruid Wyngaert		house maid		Joost Theunis van Norden
	(probably Geertruid (van) Wyngaerden from Cologne				Pieter Alrichs
	who mar. Brkl. 1662 Jan Alberts de Wit)				Gabriel de Haes
1651	Cornelis Evertsz Wynkoop	24 buurschap (neighborhood)			
		Wyckerom near Eeden, Gelderland			

The foregoing list of SERVANTS AND EMPLOYES HIRED IN NEW NETHERLAND is based on the DE ROEVER NOTES. Some few of these individuals have been discussed in the two previous instalments of the present paper.

DAVID LYMAN OF DERBY, CONN.

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Rev. Jonathan⁵ Lyman (Noah⁴, Thomas³, Richard², Richard¹), a native of Durham, Conn., where he was baptized 21 Apr. 1717, was graduated at Yale College in 1742, and became pastor of Oxford, then a parish in Derby, Conn., where he died 19 Oct. 1763. He married Abigail Russell, born at Derby, 29 Sept. 1722, died at Oxford, 28 May 1791, having married second, 26 Oct. 1769, Capt. Joseph Osborn. She was daughter of Timothy⁴ Russell (Rev. Samuel³, Rev. John², John¹) by his first wife, Mary⁴ Hull (Capt. Joseph³, Dr. John², Richard¹).

Lyman Coleman in his Lyman Family (1872), page 206, gave the family of Rev. Jonathan Lyman, listing as third among his children, David⁶ but without further information. This David was great-grandfather of the present writer, but in my younger days I was unable to obtain from family sources any definite record of him. The tombstone of his widow, Philoxena (Bliss) Lyman, in Forest Lawn Cemetery, Buffalo, N.Y., reads: "Philoxena / Daughter of / Nezhiah Bliss, M.D. / of Hebron & Relict of / D. R. Lyman, M.D. / of Derby, Conn. / Aged 82 yrs." The genealogy and a number of records give this David no middle name, but as his mother was Abigail Russell, one brother Noah Russell Lyman, and his son was named David Russell Lyman, it is probable that he adopted the middle name of "Russell." It was quite common for people to take middle names for themselves at the beginning of the last century. The "M.D." accorded to both the husband and father of Philoxena on her stone is believed to be incorrect. It was a period when few colleges conferred that degree, and most doctors studied under some practitioner and then set up for themselves. Dr. Nezhiah Bliss had the usual academic degrees from Yale. Dr. Enos Candee lived on the lot adjoining Rev. Jonathan Lyman in Oxford, and quite likely David Lyman studied under him and then under Dr. Bliss of Hebron whose daughter he later married.

There seems to be no record of the birth or baptism of David Lyman, nor for that matter of any of the Rev. Jonathan's four children. The minister left two books full of baptismal and marriage records of his parishioners, but no entries of his own family! Samuel Russell of Derby was made guardian of David Lyman, a minor son of Rev. Jonathan Lyman, 10 June 1778, by the New Haven Probate Court. Since Jonathan died in 1763 and left one child, Mary, younger than David, we may place David's birth as around 1761.

Derby Land Records show that on 6 July 1776 Jonathan Lyman of Derby sold to "my Brother Noah Russell Lyman"

of Derby his part of the homestead in Oxford Parish that had belonged to his father, Rev. Jonathan Lyman, bounded south "on the Land of my Brother David Lyman" [10:220]. It was not until 2 Mar. 1791 that "David Lyman of Derby" gave a similar deed to "my Brother Noah Russel Lyman," of his interest in his father's homestead [12:237].

Oxford Land Records, after that parish became a town, provide us with two deeds [3:45, 46] from David Lyman to "my brother Noah Russell Lyman" of Oxford, quitclaiming his interest in the share of "my sister Mary Lyman decd" and his interest in his mother's dowry. Both deeds are dated 1 Jan. 1799; neither specifies any residence for David; but he acknowledged them in Oxford. The list of subscribers to Trumbull's History of Connecticut in 1797 shows Dr. David Lyman at Hebron at that time.

The will of Nezhiah Bliss of Hebron, dated 22 Aug. 1787, proved 3 Sept. 1787, named with others his wife Martha and five daughters, Philoxena among them, then unmarried; she received land in the distribution [Colchester Probate, File 295]. On 6 Sept. 1803, David Lyman and Philoxena his wife, of the City of New York, sold to William Phelps and Hannah his wife of Hebron two pieces of land, the second piece described as set to Philoxena from her father's estate [Hebron Deeds, 10:133]. A small judgment was obtained, 30 Sept. 1813, by William Phelps of Hebron against David Lyman "late of said Hebron," now of Richmond, Va. [ib., 12:241]. "Philoxena Lyman" shared in the distribution of the estate of her sister Amelia Bliss of Hebron, 14 Nov. 1821 [Andover Probate, File 278]. The will of Martha Bliss [widow of Nezhiah], dated 23 Oct. 1820, proved 25 Apr. 1826, mentioned her children, but only certain ones by name; among receipts taken by the executor on 7 Sept. 1827 is one from "Rocksey Lyman" [ib., File 288]. On 17 Aug. 1830, Philoxena Lyman of the City of New York sold to Daniel Phelps of Hebron, two pieces of land [Hebron Deeds, 16:206].

It will be seen that these records describe David Lyman as of New York City in 1803, and as of Richmond, Va., in 1813; while in 1830 he appears not to have been living, since Philoxena conveyed alone. New York City Directories first show "David Lyman, M.D.," in 1803 on Henry Street; he is omitted in 1804, but "David Lyman, Physician," appears in 1805 at 63 Henry Street, in 1806 at 61 Henry Street, and in 1807 at 80 Henry Street. He is omitted again in 1808 and 1809, but appears again as "physician" in 1810 and 1811 on Greenwich east of Hammond Street. His name is not found in the rest of the period searched, up through 1820.

Family tradition had it that Dr. David Lyman moved

from Hebron to New York City and that his son (the writer's grandfather) was born there about 1811 in the old "New York City Hotel." It also had it that Dr. David had made money in the original patent from the granolithic sidewalks, and that he went from Virginia to Texas to invest in Texas land; that he died of yellow fever "somewhere in Louisiana" on his way home and was buried in lime with all his papers and effects. As there was a large epidemic of yellow fever in Louisiana in 1829, that may well be when he died; as we have seen, Philoxena was in New York City in 1830 and apparently then a widow when she conveyed the Bliss inherited real estate.

Old directories and newspapers of Richmond, Va., have been searched without success. However, David R. Lyman is on the personal property tax list of Lynchburg, Campbell Co., Va., in 1827, assessed for ten slaves. This may be Dr. David⁶ Lyman, as the name does not appear on the list of 1828, 1829 or 1830. Then the name David R. Lyman appears in 1831, without assessment for any slaves, and continues each year until 1852, as far as the lists were searched. This was undoubtedly the son, David Russell⁷ Lyman, and by 1834 he was assessed for two slaves and on the land tax list is found with two lots and buildings; in 1845 he owned three lots, assessed in total at \$15,658. The 1850 Census shows at Lynchburg, Va.:

	age	born	
David R. Lyman	41	N.Y.	Druggist (\$18,000 realty)
Elizabeth H. "	38	Va.	
George R. "	17	"	
Clara M. "	13	"	
Edwin B. "	11	"	
Addison J. "	9	"	
Mary E. "	8	"	
James S. "	6	"	
Henry L. "	2	"	

Philoxena (Bliss) Lyman died at Buffalo, N.Y., 22 Oct. 1856. Besides the son, she had a daughter, Charlotte Bliss (Lyman) Potter, whose tombstone in Forest Lawn, Buffalo, states that she was born in Charlottesville, Va., 3 Aug. 1809; but the Potter family Bible gives her birth in New York City on that date. Comparison with the listing of her father in New York directories already cited leaves it uncertain which statement of birth is correct.

The son, Dr. David Russell⁷ Lyman, who signed the M.D. after his name, was born in New York City, date not certain, married 4 Apr. 1832, Elizabeth Hale Roberts (who died at Buffalo, N.Y., 7 Apr. 1900 aged 87 yrs. 8 mos. 22 days), daughter of Enoch and Matilda (Lynch) Roberts of Lynchburg, Va. He left Lynchburg

in 1856 because he thought war inevitable and his sympathies were with the North, and settled in Buffalo, N.Y., where his sister and mother were living. He died there 25 July 1863. His son (the writer's father), who was eight when the family moved to Buffalo, settled in Charlottesville, Va., in 1876 and remained there until his death in 1935. He used to say it had been rather hard to move North when a small boy and to be called a damned Rebel by the other youths, and then to move back to Virginia as a young man and be called a damned Yankee!

The above notes, pertaining to a hitherto unrecorded branch of the Lyman family, are presented in the hope they may be useful to others who descend from this or a cognate line, and the writer will welcome any further information. The notes may also serve as an example of how one goes about trying to verify family knowledge and tradition, and what sources are available for the difficult period extending roughly from the Revolution to about 1850.

THE FOUR SPENCER BROTHERS
THEIR ANCESTORS AND DESCENDANTS

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Chapter VIII: Generations Five and Six

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168. Joel⁴ Spencer (James³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 13 Apr. 1731, died there in 1809; married about 1757, Eunice Stewart, born about 1737, died 21 Oct. 1819, aged 82, daughter of John and Elizabeth Stewart. She married second, 17 Oct. 1809, Sylvanus Cone, born 21 Jan. 1734/5, died 5 May 1812, aged 78, son of James and Grace (Spencer) Cone.

He bought land in Farmington, Conn., 1753-1772, and sold there 1754-1772; at first purchase, 6 Nov. 1753, he was of East Haddam and Thomas Spencer [his brother] witnessed deed. He was baptized (adult) at New Cambridge [Bristol, then in Farmington] Episc. Church, 4 Mar. 1759; returned to East Haddam, 1772. Adm'n on his estate was granted, 20 Mar. 1809, to Joseph W. Cone; insolvent.

Children:

1. Hannah⁵, bp. New Cambridge, 4 Mar. 1759; prob. m. Jehiel Hungerford, b. 3 June 1758, d. at Caroline, Tioga Co., N.Y., Feb. 1844, son of Nathaniel and Rachel

- Hungerford. They lived at Bristol, Conn., 1790, and in 1800 and 1810 at Frankfort, Herkimer Co., N.Y. A son was named Spencer Hungerford.
- ii. Eli, bp. at New Cambridge, 21 Oct. 1759; d. in Herkimer Co., N.Y., before 31 Oct. 1815; m. at Millington, East Haddam, 5 Oct. 1795, Olive Huntley of Lyme, b. 6 Oct. 1771, d. ca. 1805, dau. of Joseph and Lydia (Sawyer) Huntley. Said to have had a son and two daus., of whom:
 - 1. Mary⁶, b. in Schodack, Rensselaer Co., N.Y., 11 Aug. 1801; d. there 18 Dec. 1895; m. ca. 1822, Isaac Husted Boyce, b. 3 May 1797, d. 1876.
 - iii. Stewart, bapt. at New Cambridge, 25 Jan. 1761.
 - iv. Joel, b. ca. 1763; d. at Millington, Conn., 16 Oct. 1858 ae. 96; m. Anna (?Mitchell), b. ca. 1765, d. 22 Jan. 1840 ae. 74 (g.s.). Children, bp. Millington:
 - 1. Ambrose⁶, bp. 15 Nov. 1795. If he was Ambrose D. Spencer, he d. East Haddam, 8 Aug. 1870 ae. 82, and m. Eliza T. —, who d. 30 July 1863 ae. 69.
 - 2. Joel, bp. 15 Nov. 1795; d. at Marlborough, Conn., 1 Sept. 1873 ae. 82; m. 13 Nov. 1818, Beulah Brainerd, b. 12 Oct. 1795, d. at Marlborough, 26 Apr. 1873 ae. 77, dau. of Abner and Lucy (Fuller) Brainerd.
 - 3. Anna, bp. 15 Nov. 1795; d. 4 Feb. 1884 ae. 90; m. East Haddam, 16 Sept. 1813, Warren C. Spencer, who d. there 26 July 1864 ae. 76, son of Solomon (No. 182) and Eunice (Chapman) Spencer.
 - 4. Samuel, bp. 3 July 1796.
 - 5. Phebe, bp. 30 June 1799; m. — Arnold.
 - 6. Orrin, bp. 1 Nov. 1801; d. before 22 Mar. 1830 ae. 28; res. Durham, Conn.; m. at Chatham, Conn., 14 Sept. 1823, Sally C. Norton; she m. (2) 27 Jan. 1833, David Williams of Chatham.
 - 7. Hannah Hungerford, bp. 5 Aug. 1804.
 - 8. Harriet, bp. 5 July 1807; m. at East Haddam, 26 Nov. 1823, Diodate Lee of Lebanon, Conn.
 - 9. James Selden, bp. 25 June 1809; m. at East Haddam, 12 June 1831, Caroline Shailer of Colchester, b. ca. 1812.
 - v. Ambrose, b. ca. 1765; d. 13 Mar. 1848 ae. 83 (Hartford Courant).
 - vi. (perhaps) Zaccheus, b. say 1768; had a deed 1793 from Joel and Eunice, conveyed back to them 1796, and in 1801 with Joel 2d gave deed to Eunice Spencer.
 - vii. Sylvester (not fully proved as belonging to this family), b. say ca. 1770; m. at Millington, 25 June 1794, Sarah Annis Beebe, dau. of John and Sarah Beebe. In 1810 had settled in Frankfort, Herkimer Co., N.Y. In 1830 Census, family at Frankfort listed as

1 m. 60-70, 1 f. 50-60, 1 m. and 2 f. 20-30, 1 m. and 1 f. 15-20, and 1 m. 10-15. Children (incomplete):

1. Infant, d. 7 Apr. 1796.
 2. Sophia, b. ca. 1813; unkm. in 1855.
 3. Sylvester, b. ca. 1815; m. 2 Aug. 1848, Lavina (Lavina in Census) Tisdall, b. ca. 1816. No children in 1850 or 1855.
- viii. Melicent, bp. (adult, Episc. Church), 12 Aug. 1795.

169. Judah⁴ Spencer (James³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 26 Nov. 1734, died there (Millington), 10 Apr. 1826, aged 94; married at East Haddam, 5 Mar. 1767, Susannah Beebe, born about 1739, baptized at Hadlyme, 9 Mar. 1745/6, died 31 Jan. 1828, aged 88, daughter of Thomas and Jane Beebe.

Children, born at East Haddam:

- i. Susannah⁵, b. 20 Dec. 1768.
- ii. Charity (twin), b. 12 Dec. 1770; m. at East Haddam, 15 Sept. 1793, Warren Fox of East Haddam.
- iii. Chloe (twin), b. 12 Dec. 1770; m. at East Haddam, 3 Mar. 1793, Eli Purple of East Haddam.
- iv. Judah, b. 26 Mar. 1773.
- v. Pharez (twin), b. 14 Apr. 1775; d. at New Hartford, Conn., before 20 Dec. 1824 (adm'n on estate); m. at Glastonbury, Conn., 15 Nov. 1800, Cynthia Bidwell, of Glastonbury, he being then of Berlin.
- vi. Zarah (twin), b. 14 Apr. 1775.
- vii. Esther, b. 22 Jan. 1777.
- viii. Hezekiah, b. 4 Feb. 1779; d. 20 Aug. 1780.
- ix. Huldah, b. 25 Feb. 1781.
- x. James, b. 17 May 1783; a James d. Dec. 1810 ae. 26 (Hale Collection).

170. Zaccheus⁴ Spencer (James³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 24 Mar. 1738, died there 22 Nov. 1764; married there, 9 May 1762, Eunice Dibble, born 17 May 1740, died in 1791, daughter of Thomas and Rebecca (Booge) Dibble.

Child:

- i. Rebecca⁵, b. at East Haddam, 17 Feb. 1763; m. there, 14 Dec. 1786, Jonathan Spencer (No. 174, iv).

171. Frederick⁴ Spencer (James³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 17 Feb. 1739/40, died ; married at East Haddam, 1 Apr. 1762, Hannah Chapman, born 26 Mar. 1733, daughter of Robert and Mary (Church) Chapman. He is presumably the Frederick Spencer listed in Litchfield Co., Conn., in 1790, town not ascertained. Children (incomplete), born at East Haddam:

- i. Samuel⁵, b. 21 Feb. 1763.
- ii. Hannah, b. 21 Aug. 1764.
- iii. Abigail, b. 21 Feb. 1766.

173. (Sergt.) Jonathan⁴ Spencer (Micajah³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 4 Nov. 1723, died there 16 Aug. 1760, testate; married there, 14 Jan. 1746/7, Hannah Spencer, born there, 2 Dec. 1724, died 27 Dec. 1814, aged 92, daughter of James and Hannah (Crippen) Spencer. She married second, John Clark. Children, born at East Haddam (all bp. 15 Mar. 1761):

- i. Mary⁷, b. 8 Mar. 1748/9; probably m. Jonathan Kneeland, 2nd, b. at East Haddam in 1744, son of John and Mehitabel (Lord) Kneeland.
- ii. Amasa, b. 20 July 1751; d. at West Stockbridge, Mass., 5 Jan. 1822 in 72d yr.; m. (1) at East Haddam, 1 Feb. 1776, Mary Gates, b. there 9 Nov. 1755; m. (2) at East Haddam, June 1789 (intention, West Stockbridge, 1 Mar. 1789), Sybil Cone, b. 25 May 1755, d. at West Stockbridge, 9 Mar. 1831, dau. of George and Mehitabel (Emmons) Cone. He bought a farm partly in West Stockbridge, Mass., and partly in Austerlitz, N.Y., which his heirs conveyed in 1822 (So. Berkshire Registry, 56:686, 687). Children by first wife:
 1. (perhaps) Jerusha², b. ca. 1776; d. 3 Oct. 1794 in 19th yr.
 2. Jonathan, b. ca. 1778; d. 30 Mar. 1837 ae. 59; blinded by an accident and died of consumption; m. Sally —.
 3. Amasa, b. 16 Jan. 1781; d. at West Stockbridge, 22 Mar. 1856 ae. 75-2-6; m. Sally L. Clark, b. at Hebron, Conn., 9 Oct. 1790, d. at West Stockbridge, 14 Jan. 1872 ae. 81-3-5, dau. of Benoni and Keziah (—) of West Stockbridge.
 4. Brainard, b. in 1786; d. at Austerlitz, Columbia Co., N.Y., 18 July 1858 ae. 74 (or 1856?); m. (intention, W. Stockbridge, 20 Oct. 1806), Vashtia Slaughter; m. (2) Betsey —, living in 1850 and 1855 Censuses. (See Munsell's American Ancestry, 1:119.)
 Child by second wife:
 5. Sylvester, b. ca. 1790; d. at West Stockbridge, 11 Aug. 1879 ae. 89; m. Irena Fowler, b. ca. 1795, d. 3 Nov. 1880 ae. 85.
- iii. James, b. 15 May 1754; d. at West Stockbridge, Mass., 24 May 1824 in 72d yr. (g.s.); m. (int. West Stockbridge, 7 Nov. 1790), Betsey Boughton. Children:
 1. Annis⁶, b. 31 Mar. 1790(?); m. (intention, W. Stockbridge, 15 Dec. 1808), Jare Benedict.
 2. Selden, b. 2 Feb. 1793.
 3. Marv, b. 5 Nov. 1796.
 4. James, b. 1 May 1798; d. 5 Mar. 1811 in 13th yr.
- iv. Dorothy, b. 1 Nov. 1756; perhaps the Dorothy "of East Hampton" who m. 15 Mar. 1781, Enoch Niles of East Hampton, Conn.
- v. Hannah, b. 5 Nov. 1759; perhaps m. at East Haddam, 26 Nov. 1778, Elijah Wilder, bp. 24 Nov. 1765.

174. Jedidiah⁴ Spencer (Micajah³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 30 Jan. 1725/6, died there in 1788; married there, 25 Jan. 1753, Mary Fuller, born at East Haddam, 18 Mar. 1731, died there in 1800, aged 62, daughter of Timothy and Mary (Champion) Fuller. Her will, 10 Apr. 1800, proved 6 May 1800.

Children, born at East Haddam:

- i. Thaddeus⁵, b. 16 Sept. 1754; d. before 23 May 1796, when adm'n was granted to Jonathan Spencer.
- ii. Hannah Fuller, b. 21 Oct. 1756; probably d. young.
- iii. Olive, b. 24 Sept. 1758; m. 18 Nov. 1779, Ephraim Selby, b. 13 Jan. 1753, son of William.
- iv. Jonathan, b. 15 Aug. 1760; m. at East Haddam, 14 Dec. 1786, Rebecca⁵ Spencer (No. 170, i).
- v. Ioley, b. 8 Sept. 1762; d. Dec. 1799 ae. 38.
- vi. Marv, b. 21 May 1765; m. ——— Cowles.
- vii. Phebe, b. 9 May 1767; m. ——— ?McMary.
- viii. Jedidiah, b. 2 July 1769; m. ——— Crow.

175. Gideon⁴ Spencer (Micajah³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 21 Jan. 1729/30, died probably in Herkimer County, N.Y., after 1803; married at East Haddam, 7 Nov. 1751, Elizabeth Hurd.

He bought 73 acres, part of lot 35 in Bayard's Patent, south side of Mohawk River, in Herkimer County, N.Y., 12 July 1803, one of the witnesses being Gideon Spencer, Jr.

Children, born at East Haddam:

- i. Reuben⁵, b. 8 June 1752; bp. 5 Aug. 1759; d. at Villanova, Chautauqua Co., N.Y., 9 Apr. 1836; m. (1) at East Haddam, 17 Mar. 1774, Elizabeth Cone, who d. 9 May 1791 ae. 35; m. (2) Mehitable Warner, b. ca. 1762, d. at Villanova, N.Y., 4 Mar. 1850 ae. 88, dau. of John Warner. He lived in Litchfield, N.Y., before removing to Villanova. Children by first wife not known. Children by second wife:
 1. Halsey⁶, called eldest son of Mehitable in will of grandfather Warner in 1813 at Litchfield, Herkimer Co., N.Y.
 2. Reuben.
 3. John.
- ii. Sarah, b. 4 Feb. 1754; bp. 5 Aug. 1759; d. 12 July 1802; m. 6 Nov. 1773, Roswell Cone, b. 29 Oct. 1753, d. 27 June 1830, son of Elijah.
- iii. Elizabeth, b. 12 Nov. 1755; bp. 5 Aug. 1759; d. 9 Nov. 1776.
- iv. Daniel, b. 16 Nov. 1757; bp. 5 Aug. 1759; d. 20 Dec. 1776.
- v. Thankful, b. 16 Mar. 1760; bp. 11 May 1760.
- vi. Rachel, b. 27 Dec. 1761; bp. 28 Feb. 1762; perhaps the Rachel who d. 30 Jan. 1807 ae. 47.
- vii. Mary, b. 17 Oct. 1763; bp. 13 Nov. 1763.
- viii. Lydia, b. 14 June 1766; bp. 20 July 1766.

- ix. Nancy, b. 29 Jan. 1769; bp. 26 Mar. 1769; d. 27 Aug. 1774.
- x. Gideon, b. 25 July 1771; m. 16 Mar. 1797, Sarah Warner, b. ca. 1775, dau. of John Warner. In 1820 Census his family was listed in Winfield, Herkimer Co., N.Y., as 1 m. and 1 f. over 45, 1 m. 26-45, 2 m. and 2 f. 16-26; was also there in 1825 Census. In 1850 was listed at Villanova, Chautauqua Co., N.Y., ae. 78, with wife Sarah ae. 75, in the family of John Spencer, ae. 49, with wife Amanda ae. 46 and their children ae. 5 to 18. This John may well have been son of Gideon, though he had a nephew of that name. One child is identified:
 - 1. Lucy⁶, m. Robert Rider, b. in Herkimer Co., 8 Sept. 1799, son of Zadok and Naomi (Seers) Rider.

xi. Anna, b. 20 June 1773; bp. 8 Aug. 1773; d. 16 Nov. 1776.

176. Stephen⁴ Spencer (Micajah³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 7 May 1732, died there 15 May 1766; married there, 8 Mar. 1759, Joanna Crocker. Children, born at East Haddam:

- i. Anna⁵, b. 13 Feb. 1760.
- ii. Elijah, b. 23 Apr. 1761; perhaps d. 1785; m. 10 Aug. 1780, Abigail Annable.
- iii. Calvin, b. 8 Oct. 1765; d. 31 Mar. 1813; m. at Lyme, Conn., 1 Nov. 1789, Mehitabel Brainerd, b. 2 Feb. 1766, d. 2 Sept. 1851 ae. 85 (g.s.), dau. of Amasa and Jedidah (Osborne) Brainerd; had 8 children, full record in Brainerd-Brainerd Genealogy, Joshua Branch, p. 59-60; see also Comm. Blog. Record of Middlesex County, Conn., p. 980.

177. Eliakim⁴ Spencer (Micajah³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 3 Oct. 1734; married first, at East Haddam, 16 Apr. 1761, Dorothy Gates; married second, before 1788, Keturah _____.

Eliakim Spencer of East Haddam purchased, 22 Apr. 1771, from Samuel Hill of Chatham, Conn., 100 acres in Richmond, Berkshire Co., Mass.; was of Richmond when he conveyed 29 Apr. 1788, Keturah signing with him; and he sold again 14 Nov. 1789 with Keturah Spencer, this deed being witnessed by James Gates and Eli Spencer. [Berkshire County Deeds, 8:773; 39:473; 28:459.] He was listed at Richmond in the 1790 Census, with one male under 16 and five females.

Children by first wife, first four born at East Haddam, record of children probably incomplete:

- i. Dorothy⁵, b. 7 Aug. 1761.
- ii. Deborah, b. 14 Oct. 1763.
- iii. Eli, b. 20 Apr. 1766; m. (intention, Richmond, Mass., 20 June 1790), Eunice Branch, but it is doubtful if the marriage occurred, as Eli was listed in the 1790

Census at Rensselaerville, N.Y., his family consisting of 2 males, perhaps himself and brother Stephen. On 3 Aug. 1804, adm'n on his estate was granted to Stephen Spencer, brother and next of kin, res. Rensselaerville (Albany County Probate, Adm. 1:119).

- iv. Stephen, b. 4 Aug. 1769.
- v. Oliver Cone, b. 24 May 1772.

178. Zachariah⁴ Spencer (Micajah³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 1 July 1741; married there, 11 Nov. 1766, Mary Wright.

Children, nine born at East Haddam, the last three at Litchfield, Conn.:

- i. Martha⁵, b. 24 Oct. 1767; d. 10 Nov. 1776.
- ii. Samuel Wright, b. 7 Apr. 1769; res. (1828) Livonia, Livingston Co., N.Y.; m. Lucretia Parsons. Children (incomplete record):
 - 1. Anne⁶, b. at Litchfield (Milton), Conn., in 1796; d. at Rockford, Ill., 14 Feb. 1877; m. 1814, Lester Kingsbury, b. at Hampton, Conn., 28 May 1787, d. at Dansville, N.Y., 31 Mar. 1836, son of Jonathan and Lodemia (Ransom) Kingsbury.
 - 2. (perhaps) Brainard Parsons, of Livingston Co., N.Y.
 - 3. Burrill, d. 11 Dec. 1802 ae. 6 wks. (g.s., Litchfield).
 - 4. Jabez B., d. 21 June 1811 ae. 2 yrs. 9 mos. (g.s.).
- iii. Eunice Williams, b. 31 Oct. 1770; d. 10 Nov. 1776.
- iv. William Booge, b. 19 July 1772.
- v. Wilson, b. 1 May 1774; m. Nancy Catlin, and res. Crown Point and Ticonderoga, N.Y. A child:
 - 1. Datha Rosannah⁶, b. at Ticonderoga, 12 Sept. 1803, res. (1881) Spring Harbor, Jackson Co., Mich.; m. at Crown Point, 28 Aug. 1825, Samuel Humohrey, b. at Orwell, Vt., 2 Oct. 1807, d. 9 July 1881 ae. 73.
- vi. Warren, b. 25 Sept. 1775; d. at Redford, Mich., 9 Oct. 1855; m. 5 Oct. 1797, Clarissa Pratt, b. 17 Sept. 1781, d. after 1855. Children:
 - 1. Wilson⁶, b. 17 Aug. 1798.
 - 2. Dyer, b. 27 Aug. 1800.
 - 3. Minerva, b. 31 Oct. 1802; d. at Redford, Mich., 26 Apr. 1838; m. at Ticonderoga, N.Y., 29 Feb. 1819, Elon Catlin, b. ca. 1800, d. at Oquawka, Ill., 9 Feb. 1848 ae. 48.
 - 4. Susan, b. 3 Feb. 1805; d. young.
 - 5. Sophronia, b. 2 June 1807.
 - 6. Rosannah, b. 24 June 1810; prob. m. ——— Harrison.
 - 7. Polly, b. 14 Mar. 1813.
 - 8. Elijah Bunnell, b. 15 July 1815; m.
 - 9. Susan, b. at Ticonderoga, 11 Dec. 1817; d. at Spokane, Wash., 23 Feb. 1908; m. at Ticon-

- deroga, 6 Jan. 1839, Eli Nicholas Hyde, b. in Vt., 6 Dec. 1812, d. near Pickett, Wis., 27 Sept. 1867. Six children.
10. Warren, b. 19 Nov. 1819; d. at Ticonderoga, N. Y., 14 May 1874 ae. 54 (g.s.); m. Hannah —, who d. 20 Mar. 1880 ae. 55 (g.s.).
(Information on above family from Mr. Lee D. Patchen of Spokane, Wash.)
- vii. Dyar (twin), b. 21 July 1777; d. before 14 Apr. 1813; m. Tryphena —; she m. (2) at Litchfield, Conn., 6 June 1815, Laban Beach, Jr. A child:
1. Lemuel Johnson⁶, b. at Litchfield, 9 May 1808.
- viii. Martha (twin), b. 21 July 1777.
- ix. Eunice, b. 17 July 1779.
- x. Polly, b. 19 Apr. 1781.
- xi. Anna, b. 16 Apr. 1783.
- xii. Zachariah, b. 20 May 1785; d. at Albion, N.Y., 13 May 1861; m. (1) at Litchfield, Conn., 1 Sept. 1808, Nancy Miles, b. 3 May 1786, d. in Livingston Co., N. Y., 29 Aug. 1828, dau. of Samuel and Sylvia (Murray) Miles of Goshen, Conn.; m. (2) ca. 1830-1, Catherine Barnard, b. 1807, d. 1884. Children by first wife, two b. at Cornwall, next two at Litchfield, Conn.:
1. Sylvia Ann⁶, b. 3 July 1810; d. 24 July 1867, unnm.
2. Burrall, b. 8 Sept. 1812; d. at Spencerport, N.Y., 1886; m. Mary A. —.
3. Henry, b. 18 June 1814; d. 15 Apr. 1845, unnm.
4. Samuel Miles, b. 27 Mar. 1816; d. at Washington, D.C., 19 Aug. 1888; m. (1) 22 Feb. 1855, Martha Richardson, b. 30 Sept. 1830, d. 16 May 1857 ae. 24 (!); m. (2) C — H —.
5. Harriet M., m. Samuel P. Pitts.
6. Amos Bird, b. at Livonia, N.Y., 27 Sept. 1825; d. at Pittsford, N.Y., 15 Sept. 1859.
7. Nancy Miles, b. ca. 1828; d. before 18 Apr. 1902.
8. Adeline L., b. ca. 1828; m. J. W. Randall.
Children by second wife:
9. Mary L., b. ca. 1835; d. before 30 July 1894, unnm.
10. Persis Jennie, b. ca. 1837; bur. 4 Mar. 1924, unnm.
11. Kate E., b. ca. 1845; d. before 28 Feb. 1898, unnm.

179. Jonah⁴ Spencer (Micajah³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 6 Feb. 1743/4, died after 1802; married first, at East Haddam, 20 Aug. 1767, Abigail Calkins, who died there 31 Mar. 1775; married second, at East Haddam, 22 June 1775, Elizabeth Bailey, born at Killingworth, Conn., 17 Nov. 1752, died after 1802, daughter of John and Mercy (Farnum) Bailey [identified in Killingworth Deeds, 12:283].

On 26 Apr. 1793, Elizabeth Spencer of Twp 7 R 4 in

Ontario County, N.Y., bought a tract of land there from Ephraim Cleveland; and 15 Oct. 1802 Jonah and Elizabeth Spencer of Middletown [now Naples], Ontario County, conveyed to John B. Spencer. [Ontario Co. Deeds, 4:356; 10:99.]

Children by first wife, born at East Haddam:

- i. Lucy⁵, b. 12 Aug. 1768.
- ii. Statira, b. 25 Aug. 1770.
- iii. Zilpha, b. 26 Aug. 1772; perhaps m. 10 Oct. 1792, William Pease.

Children by second wife, three born at East Haddam:

- iv. Anna (twin), b. 16 Aug. 1777; bp. Sept. 1777.
- v. Leah (twin), b. 16 Aug. 1777; bp. Sept. 1777.
- vi. Betty, b. 19 Sept. 1779; bp. 26 Oct. 1779.
- vii. (probably) John B., b. by 1781 (deed in 1802), perhaps named for grandfather, John Bailey.
- viii. Seth, b. at Hartland, Conn., 25 Nov. 1789.

180. Simeon⁴ Spencer (Hezekiah³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 25 Apr. 1733; is said to have married, July 1782 (First Church, East Haddam), a Widow Bramble. He may have been married before.

Further data on this family needed.

181. Silas⁴ Spencer (Hezekiah³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 28 Jan. 1746, died there (Millington), 2 Feb. 1827; married Athaliah ———, who died at East Haddam, 10 Jan. 1810, aged 72.

Further data on this family needed.

182. Solomon⁴ Spencer (Hezekiah³, William², Gerard¹), born at East Haddam, Conn., 26 June 1748; married at East Haddam, Eunice Chapman, who died there 27 Dec. 1818, aged 73.

Further data needed; the following children are ascribed to them:

- i. (Sarah?)⁵, d. 1787 ae. 10.
- ii. Gurdon, b. ca. 1779; d. 25 Mar. 1856 ae. 77; m.
- iii. Rhoda, m. T. Fuller Andrews.
- iv. A son, d. young.
- v. Eunice, d. young.
- vi. Lee, sailed in 1800 and never heard from.
- vii. Warren C.

183. Matthias⁴ Spencer (William³, William², Gerard¹), born about 1723, died at East Haddam, Conn., 18 Mar. 1812, aged 89; married first, at East Haddam, 23 June 1746, Mercy Rowley, born 28 Oct. 1729, daughter of Moses and Mehitabel (Weeks) Rowley; married second, about

1787, Sarah (Stewart) Hungerford, baptized 12 Nov. 1732, died at Millington, 17 Dec. 1817, aged 86, daughter of John and Elizabeth Stewart, and widow of Lemuel Hungerford.

Children by first wife, born at East Haddam (Millington):

- i. Deborah⁵, b. 8 Apr. 1747; d. young.
- ii. Reuben, b. 7 Dec. 1748; m. Hannah —, b. ca. 1754, d. at Millington, 11 Mar. 1813 ae. 59. She was bp. and joined the church there 3 May 1789. Children (partly from Hannah's estate records):
 1. Sarah⁶, b. say 1778; d. before 1813; m. (as Sally Spencer of East Haddam) at Colchester, Conn., 12 Dec. 1799, Nathaniel P. Ransom.
 2. Hannah, b. ca. 1780; d. at Haddam, 12 Jan. 1830 ae. 50; m. Archelaus Tyler.
 3. Seth, res. (1813) Middletown, Conn.
 4. Susanna, b. ca. Mar. 1785; d. 22 Feb. 1806 ae. 20 yrs. 11 mos.
 5. Dothy, d. 11 July 1798.
 6. Asahel, b. 31 Mar. 1793; of Colchester in 1813 when Seth Spencer was chosen his guardian.
 7. An infant, d. 31 Jan. 1796.
- iii. Deborah, b. 11 Apr. 1750; d. at Millington, 29 Nov. 1833 ae. 83; m. 12 May 1791, John Annable, son of John and Hannah Annable of Millington.
- iv. Amaziah, b. 14 Apr. 1753; d. 22 Oct. 1830; m. 13 July 1780, Eleanor Harvey, b. at East Haddam, 8 May 1758. Children, b. at East Haddam:
 1. Reuben⁶, b. 7 Mar. 1781; d. 7 June 1857.
 2. Penelope, b. 23 Dec. 1784; m. at Lyme, Conn., 11 Nov. 1804, Lynde Lord Tinker.
 3. Daniel, b. 11 July 1787; m. (1) Maria —; m. (2) Polly (Tinker) Wilcox; res. Lyme.
 4. Mary, b. 13 Apr. 1789.
 5. Harvey, b. 14 Aug. 1791.
 6. Selden, b. 26 Nov. 1794.
 7. Matthias, b. 15 Nov. 1795; d. in Wayne twp., Erie Co., Pa., 1 May 1882 ae. 87; m. at Col-umbus, Chenango Co., N.Y., 9 July 1818, Harri-riet Smith, b. at Bridgewater, N.Y., d. 7 May 1858; had 8 sons.
- v. Dorcas, b. 2 Jan. 1755; d. by 1812; m. — Paddle-ford.
- vi. Timothy, b. 6 Nov. 1756; d. at Springfield, Otsego Co., N.Y., in 1815; m. 9 July (1779?), Sarah Arnold, b. 22 Mar. 1762, d. at Spencerport, N.Y., 27 Oct. 1823 ae. 61 (g.s.), dau. of Joseph and Lucy (Barnes) Ar-nold. Children:
 1. Daniel⁶, b. 22 Feb. 1780; d. at Spencerport, Monroe Co., N.Y., 12 Jan. 1835 ae. 55 (g.s.); m. (1) after 1804, Anne Willey, b. ca. 1780, d. 17 Sept. 1825 ae. 45 (g.s.), dau. of Ben-ajah Willey of Ogden, N.Y.; no issue; m. (2) Polly Foster, b. 11 Jan. 1798, d. 22 Mar.

- 1864 ae. 66 (g.s.), dau. of Lebbeus and Polly Foster.
2. Arnold, b. ca. 1780; d. in Washington twp., Macomb Co., Mich., in 1840; m. ca. 1806, Lavina —, b. 1789, d. 1852.
 3. Austin, b. 24 July 1783; d. at Spencerport, N.Y., 8 Jan. 1868 ae. 84; m. in Otsego Co., N.Y., 6 Feb. 1806, Polly F. Elwood, b. 6 July 1788, d. at Spencerport, 30 Jan. 1866 ae. 77.
 4. Nancy.
 5. Sarah.
 6. Achsah.
 7. Emily.
 - vii. A daughter, b. 2 Mar. 1759; d. young.
 - viii. Mehitabel, b. 22 Feb. 1760; bp. 12 July 1761 with Dorcas and Timothy; m. — Metcalf.
 - ix. William, b. 31 Dec. 1762; bp. 20 Mar. 1763; res. (1812) Butternuts, Otsego Co., N.Y.; perhaps m. Thankful Gardner.
 - x. Marv, b. (as "Sarah") 5 May 1765; bp. (as "Mary") 9 June 1765; m. — Stanley.
 - xi. Sarah, b. 23 July 1767; bp. 23 Aug. 1767; d. before 1812.
 - xii. Daniel, b. 16 Sept. 1770; bp. 4 Nov. 1770.
184. Jeremiah⁴ Spencer (William³, William², Gerard¹, no record found of birth or death; married at East Haddam (Millington), Conn., 7 Jan. 1747/8, Abigail Burr, daughter of Jonathan and Abigail (Hubbard) Burr. Children, born at East Haddam [perhaps others]:
- i. Jeremiah⁵, b. 21 Feb. 1748/9; without direct proof (and partly because of the repetition of the names Abigail and Hubbard in this family) he is identified as the Jeremiah who was listed at Granville, Washington Co., N.Y., in the 1790 Census with a family of 2 males over 16, 3 males under 16, and 4 females; and d. in Washington Co. before 29 Sept. 1796, when adm'n on his estate in Onondaga Co. was granted to his son Ebenezer of Marcellus. He m. ca. 1769, Thankful Hinckley, b. in Litchfield Co., Conn., ca. 1750. Children:
 1. Charlotte⁶, b. —; m. — Green.
 2. Abigail, b. ca. 1770-1; d. 1852; m. John Filmore; res. Cayuga Co., N.Y.
 3. Ebenezer, b. in Conn., 1772; d. at Jasper, Steuben Co., N.Y., 1851; m. (1) Betsey Allen, b. ca. 1779, d. July 1802, dau. of Justus Allen; m. (2) in 1803, Betsey Elizabeth Robinson, b. 1770, d. 1852. Bought land in Van Buren, Onondaga Co., N.Y., 10 Oct. 1795; had 5 children b. in Scipio, Cayuga Co., N.Y.
 4. Hubbard, b. ca. Oct. 1777; d. 28 Apr. 1860 ae. 82 yrs. 6 mos. (g.s., cemetery on old Burgess farm near E. Winfield in Winfield, Herkimer

Co., N.Y.); m. Sally Mackenney, who d. 3 Aug. 1839 ae. 54 (g.s.), dau. of John and Lydia (Sherwood) Mackenney.

5. Benjamin, b. 1778; d. at Black Rock Fort near Buffalo in War of 1812; adm'n to widow Lucretia, 8 Apr. 1813. In 1810 Census listed in Sempronius, N.Y., 1 m. 26-45, 1 m. and 1 f. 16-26, 1 f. 10-16, and 4 f. under 10.
6. Asa, b. 1 Feb. 1780; d. July 1860; res. Sempronius, Cayuga Co., N.Y.; m. (1) Bathsheba Phelps, dau. of Judge Phelps of Sennett; m. (2) Eunice Dunbar; had 10 children.
7. Sally.
8. Polly or Mary, b. say 1786-88 (youngest child b. 1833); m. Jeremiah Leland, b. 1784, son of James and Ann (Gale) Leland; moved to Rose City, Mich.; had 8 children.
9. Lavina, b. 1790; m. Anson Hewitt.
10. William, b. 1792.
- ii. Marv, b. 6 June 1751; d. at East Haddam, 30 May 1807; m. at Millington, 30 May 1776, Solomon Cone, b. 2 Sept. 1745, d. 27 Mar. 1805, son of Joseph and Mary (Smith) Cone.
- iii. Abigail, b. 23 Feb. 1754.

186. Nathaniel⁴ Spencer (Nathaniel³, Nathaniel², Gerard¹), born at Haddam, Conn., 8 Apr. 1723, died at New Haven, Conn., 19 May 1809, aged 86 (gravestone); married at New Haven, 30 Dec. 1762, Abigail English, born at New Haven, 8 Apr. 1741, died there 21 Nov. 1815 aged 75 (gravestone), daughter of Benjamin and Sarah (Dayton) English.

Children, born at New Haven (baptized at First Cong. Church):

- i. Jabez⁵, b. 18 Mar. 1764; bp. 8 Apr. 1764; d. at Salisbury, Vt., 2 May 1839 ae. 75 (reported in Conn. Herald); m. at North Haven, Conn., 28 June 1786, Joanna Ives, dau. of Joseph and Abigail (Grannis) Ives. In 1790 Census he was listed at Hamden, a suburb of New Haven; in 1803 called of Mt. Holly, N.Y. (East Haven Deeds), but Mt. Holly, Rutland Co., Vt., was doubtless meant. Children (incomplete), bp. First Church, New Haven:
 1. Amelia⁶, bp. 7 June 1789.
 2. Joseph Ives, bp. 2 Oct. 1791.
 3. Nathaniel, bp. 21 Oct. 1792.
- ii. Abigail, b. 29 Jan. 1766; bp. 5(?) Jan. 1766; d. 24 Oct. 1842 ae. 77 (g.s., New Haven).
- iii. Elihu, b. 9 Dec. 1767; bp. 13 Dec. 1767; d. 22 Jan. 1832 ae. 64 (g.s., New Haven).
- iv. William, b. 4 Sept. 1769; bp. 10 Sept. 1769; d. 11 Jan. 1773 ae. 3 (g.s.).
- v. Sarah, bp. 25 Aug. 1771; d. 29 Jan. 1840 ae. 68 (g.s., New Haven).

- vi. William, bp. 16 Jan. 1774; d. at Guilford, Conn., 31 July 1857 ae. 83; m. at Guilford, 17 Apr. 1800, Ruth Collins, who d. at Guilford, 29 July 1831 ae. 52. Children (perhaps others), rec. at Christ Church, Guilford:
 - 1. Hannah⁶, b. ca. 1801; bp. 1808; d. 11 Mar. 1818 ae. 17.
 - 2. Julia Ann, b. ca. 1803; bp. 1808; d. 11 Aug. 1821 ae. 18.
 - 3. Abigail English, bp. 1814.
- vii. Joseph, bp. 31 Oct. 1779.
- viii. Benjamin, bp. 31 Oct. 1779; d. at New Haven, Conn., 6 Mar. 1857 ae. 77 (g.s.), unm. His will, 20 Mar. 1840 proved 16 Mar. 1857, gave all estate to Anna Maria Adye.

187. Elisha⁴ Spencer (Nathaniel³, Nathaniel², Gerard¹), born at Haddam, Conn., 26 Aug. 1725, died there 25 Mar. 1812, aged 76 [! says the Haddam Church rec., but this Elisha was 86]; married 2 Aug. 1749, Anne Haughton, born 8 Nov. 1727, died 2 Apr. 1816, aged over 88 [Haddam Church rec.], daughter of Christopher and Christian (Birchard) Haughton.

Children, born at Haddam:

- i. Elisha⁵, b. 30 Oct. 1750; d. 27 Feb. 1754.
- ii. Hannah, b. 5 Sept. 1753; m. at Haddam, Aug. 1774, Abijah Fuller, bp. 22 July 1753, son of Abijah and Hester (Arnold) Fuller; perhaps moved to Winchester, Conn., and N.Y. State.
- iii. Elizabeth, b. 11 Nov. 1755; m. at Haddam, 2 Jan. 1777, John Scovill.
- iv. George, b. 11 Mar. 1758.
- v. Anne, b. 19 June 1760.
- vi. Amos, b. 3 Oct. 1762; d. 2 July 1763.
- vii. Henry, b. 1 May 1764; d. at New Hartford, Conn., 12 Sept. 1826; m. Eunice Alling, b. at Wallingford, Conn., 19 Dec. 1765, dau. of Ebenezer and Sarah (Atwater) Alling. Children:
 - 1. Clarissa⁶, b. at Wallingford, 11 Nov. 1784; d. 26 Nov. 1875; m. 19 Nov. 1816, Ebenezer Marsh of New Hartford, Conn.
 - 2. Amos.
 - 3. Asaph, res. Grand Rapids, Mich.
 - 4. Belinda, b. at Bristol, Conn., 4 June 1792; d. at Springfield, Mass., 19 Nov. 1873; m. at New Hartford, 26 Feb. 1812, Lot Norton Seymour, b. at New Hartford, 3 Mar. 1788, d. there 27 Oct. 1844.
 - 5. Elephas, b. ca. 1794; d. at Barkhamsted, Conn., 3 Nov. 1865 ae. 71; m. Lucinda Roberts.
- viii. Jabez, b. 7 May 1766; d. at Smithville, Chenango Co., N.Y., 5 June 1842 ae. 75 (g.s., Hazzards Corner Cem.); m. Polly Lorton, b. ca. 1768, d. 16 May 1837 ae. 69 (g.s.).

188. Thomas⁴ Spencer (Nathaniel³, Nathaniel², Gerard¹), born at Haddam, Conn., 1 June 1728, died after 1800, probably at Wilmington, Vt.; married Anna ———.

Called of Haddam, he bought land in Middletown, Conn., 28 Sept. 1750, and he was "of Middletown" when he sold it, 11 Dec. 1759 [Middletown Deeds, 13:355; 18:44]. In the 1790 Census he was of Wilmington, Vt., his family consisting of 5 males over 16 years; and in 1800 he was there, listed as 1 male over 45, with 2 males 26-45 and 1 female 16-26.

Children, first four baptized at Middle Haddam (then in Middletown, now in East Hampton), the next four at Haddam Neck, the last at East Haddam:

- i. Amos⁵, bp. 15 Sept. 1754.
- ii. Abner, bp. 14 Dec. 1755; d. young.
- iii. Anne, bp. 7 Aug. 1757.
- iv. Hannah, bp. 30 Sept. 1759.
- v. Abner, bp. 9 May 1762; d. at Wilmington, Vt., 8 July 1849 ae. 87; m. there, 2 Oct. 1803, Lois Torrey, b. ca. 1780.
- vi. Lydia, bp. 17 June 1764.
- vii. Elijah, bp. 1 Jan. 1769; prob. the Elijah who bought in Herkimer Co., N.Y., 1794, and was there (unless another Elijah) as late as 1834.
- viii. Nathaniel, bp. 26 May 1771; m. at Wilmington, Vt., 14 Aug. 1793, Sybil Axtell; they were in Herkimer Co., N.Y., before 1822.
- ix. Joseph, bp. 5 Sept. 1773.

189. Jonathan⁴ Spencer (Nathaniel³, Nathaniel², Gerard¹), born at Haddam, Conn., 14 Mar. 1745, died at Unadilla, Otsego Co., N.Y., 1 June 1821 ae. 77-2-14 [Bible record in pension file of his son Orange Spencer, which gives Jonathan's birth date as 17 Mar. 1744, close enough for identification when double-dating of the year is considered; also there is the circumstantial evidence of the names Lee and Nathaniel which appear among Jonathan's children]; married first, in Dutchess Co., N.Y. (perhaps near Amenia), 26 Sept. 1764, Ruth Mudge, who died 25 Oct. 1780, aged 33; married second, probably at Warrensbush [Florida], Tryon [Montgomery] Co., N.Y., 23 July 1781, Martha Keech, born about 1765, died at Unadilla, 11 Dec. 1843, aged 78.

Jonathan and Orrangh Spencer are listed as serving in the Revolution in the 3rd Regt., Tryon County Militia. Orange stated in his pension application that he was born at Richmond, Mass.; that he was living at enlistment in the winter of 1778-9 in Warrensbush, "now called Florida," Montgomery Co., N.Y.; and that he moved from there about 1784 to Unadilla. This shows the migrations of Jonathan's family. Orange later moved to Vernon, Oneida Co., to Monroe Co., and to Chautauqua Co., N.Y., last to North East, Erie Co., Pa.

Children by first wife:

- i. Orange⁵, b. at Richmond, Mass., 30 July 1765; d. at North East, Erie Co., Pa., 10 Jan. 1843; m. 4 Dec. 1789, Sarah Bostwick, b. 25 Dec. 1768, d. at North East, 24 Jan. 1845. Children:
 1. Philomela⁶, b. 3(?) Sept. 1790; m. 21 Oct. 1811, John Fry, b. 12 Apr. 1790.
 2. Ruth (twin), b. 23 Apr. 1792; d. 30 Mar. 1831 in 39th yr.; m. (1) Nehemiah Yale, b. 8 Dec. 1784, d. 13 Feb. 1818 ae. 33-2-5, son of Enos and Sarah Yale; m. (2) ——— Steel.
 3. Orange B. (twin), b. 23 Apr. 1792; m. 2 Sept. 1812, Jemima Bostwick, b. 4 Nov. 1795, dau. of Lyman and Rebecca Bostwick.
 4. Gaius L., b. 9 Mar. 1794.
 5. Silvester, b. 31 May 1796; prob. d. 31 Aug. 179-.
 6. Sena, b. 29 Mar. 1800; m. at Masonville, Delaware Co., N.Y., 17 June 1817, Peter Loop.
 7. Gilbert, b. 18 July 1804; res. (1850) Chautauqua Co., N.Y.; m. at Perinton, Monroe Co., N.Y., 30 Oct. 1825, Evaline Gay, b. 12 June 1809.
 8. Silas S., b. 5 Mar. 1809; m. at North East, Pa., 14 Apr. 1833, Jane Graham, b. ca. 1811.
- ii. Amos, b. 11 Nov. 1767.
- iii. Jonathan Lee, b. 25 Mar. 1770.
- iv. Micah, b. 4 Dec. 1772.

Children by second wife:

- v. Nathaniel, b. 12 Feb. 1782.
- vi. Elisha, b. 24 May 1784.
- vii. William D., b. 1 July 1787.
- viii. Francis U., b. 5 Nov. 1789.
- ix. Barzilla, b. 21 June 1792; d. young.
- x. Barzilla, b. 5 May 1796.
- xi. Asher, b. 2 June 1800.
- xii. Solomon, b. 11 July 1803.

Note: If the above is correct, Jonathan had 12 sons. The first eight are from the Bible record of Orange Spencer; the last four from another source, which gives Francis U. as "Frances." The Bible record adds a child under Francis U.: Mercy, b. 9 Apr. 1789, an impossible date, possibly a transposition for 1798.

190. Eleazer⁴ Spencer (Nathaniel³, Nathaniel², Gerard¹), born at Haddam, Conn., 17 May 1748, died at Spencertown, N.Y., 31 Jan. 1815; married by 1766, Mary Johnson, born at Middletown, Conn., 9 May 1748, died at Spencertown, N.Y., 31 Dec. 1822, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Johnson) Johnson.

He served as a 2nd Lieutenant and Captain in the Revolution. Administration on the estate of Eleazer

Spencer of Hillsdale was granted 27 June 1815 to Eleazer Spencer, Jr., John I. Young and Billa Spencer.
[Columbia County Probate.]

Children:

- i. Elizabeth⁵, b. 23 Nov. 1766; d. 1831; prob. m. as his first wife, John Young(s), b. ca. 1769, d. 1847, of New Baltimore, Greene Co., N.Y., son of John and Mehitable (Wiggins) Youngs.
- ii. Mary, b. 1 Oct. 1768; d. 30 Oct. 1846.
- iii. Hannah, b. 11 Feb. 1771; d. 9 Aug. 1840.
- iv. Eleazer, b. 23 July 1773; d. in Otsego Co., N.Y., 26 Apr. 1846; m. Peggy ----, who d. ae. 63 before her husband. Settled in Maryland, N.Y., as early as 1816. Nine children. Petition for adm'n on his estate dated 13 Nov. 1846.
- v. Zeruah, b. 24 Dec. 1775; d. 23 Jan. 1844 in 69th yr.; m. Isaac Brainerd of Russia, Herkimer Co., N.Y.
- vi. Enos J., b. 17 Mar. 1779; d. 22 Mar. 1833; m. Sally Rose, dau. of Nathan and Sarah (Haskell) Rose.
- vii. Chloe, b. 7 Aug. 1781; d. at Austerlitz, Columbia Co., N.Y., 7 Nov. 1844 (ae. 64, Cem. record); m. 1812, Ephraim Bemiss, who d. 4 June 1843 ae. 51; had four children.
- viii. Levina, b. 24 Nov. 1783; d. 2 Aug. 1868; m. William Fitz Youngs, b. 15 Jan. 1789, d. 28 May 1812, son of John and Mehitable (Wiggins) Youngs; res. Coxsackie, Greene Co., N.Y. Had a dau. Mehitable Youngs, m. William Higgins, who lived in Austerlitz, N.Y., in 1855 (N.Y. Census) and Lovina then lived with them, ae. 71.
- ix. Seth, b. 21 Oct. 1786; d. 29 Jan. 1794.
- x. Lydia, b. 25 Sept. 1789; d. 19 May 1796.
- xi. Billa, b. 15 Dec. 1791; d. 10 Feb. 1847 ae. 55, bur. St. Peter's Presb. Church Cem., Spencertown, N.Y., unm. His will, 3 Dec. 1844, proved 21 June 1847, calls him of Austerlitz and names his late sister Chloe Bemiss and her children.

191. Eliphaz⁴ Spencer (possibly Nathaniel³, Nathaniel², Gerard¹), born say around 1750, reported as over 45 in the 1800 Census, died in Otsego County, N.Y., before Feb. 1834; married and had issue.

In the list of Capt. Johannis Hogeboom's Company, dated Claverack, 13 May 1767, the name of "Eliphis" Spencer is entered directly under that of "Eleazer" Spencer [Report of State Historian, New York, 1896-7, Colonial Series, 2:871-5]. Eleazer and Eliphaz Spencer both served in the 9th Regt., Albany County [James A. Roberts, New York in the Revolution, p. 117]. Hillsdale was set off from Claverack in 1782, and in the 1790 Census at Hillsdale Eliphaz is listed directly under Eleazer Spencer, with the other Spencertown Spencers scattered here and there through the township. This

coupling of Eliphaz with Eleazer suggests that they may have been brothers, especially as it is difficult to place Eliphaz elsewhere in the family, and Eleazer is a proved son of Nathaniel³.

In 1790 the family of Eliphaz consisted of 3 males over 16, 5 males under 16, and 3 females, so apparently he had a large family of sons. We are unable to give a detailed account of his children, and await the discovery of further data, which may be in private hands. He definitely had sons Henry and Alexander, and it is believed that Lois, wife of Elijah Smith, and Lucretia, wife of Philip Waite, were his daughters. Other Otsego County Spencers, such as Abner, Jesse, and Seth J., who are otherwise unplaced, may belong to this group. Lois Smith named her three sons, Seth, Jesse and Ira. It will be noted that if Eliphaz was son of Nathaniel³, he had a sister Lois and a brother Seth.

193. Jabez⁴ Spencer (Nathaniel³, Nathaniel², Gerard¹), baptized at Haddam, Conn., 1 Aug. 1756, died at Cato, Cayuga Co., N.Y., 7 June 1835; married at Granville, Washington Co., N.Y., 21 Mar. 1783, (by Elder Joseph Caw, a Baptist), Patience Farnsworth, born 10 Apr. 1765, daughter of Josiah Farnsworth, from Groton, Mass.

Here too we lack sufficient detail to set forth the family of Jabez. Most of our knowledge comes from the pension file of himself and of his widow, who was still living in 1840. He stated that he was born in "Old Haddam," Conn., A.D. 1757, but has no record of his age. When he was about four, his father removed to Spencertown, N.Y. It will be recalled that Nathaniel³ sold his Haddam homestead in 1760 and the last record we found of him there was in 1761. Jabez lived at Spencertown until he was about 17, when he moved to New Lebanon, Columbia Co., where he resided when he entered the Revolutionary service (1775). He removed from New Lebanon to Granville, Washington Co., and in 1779 enlisted in a Vermont outfit. He continued to live in Granville about four years; moved to Whitehall about six years, then back to Granville; removed to Crown Point for about two years, thence to Delaware Co., N.Y., about two years, and finally to Cayuga Co. Solomon Farnsworth deposed in 1833 that he was a brother-in-law of Jabez. In 1840, Lois Harris and Solomon Spencer of Cato deposed; they were probably children of Jabez but did not specify relationship.

Jabez was listed in 1790 at Westfield [now Fort Ann], Washington Co., with 2 boys under 16 and 2 females. In 1800 he was at Whitehall, he and wife 26 to 45, with 2 boys and a girl 10-16, and 3 boys under 10.

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